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FOUR CHILDREN LOSE THEIR LIVES

SLEIGH GOES THROUGH THIN ICE ON CREEK

Two Boys and Two Girls Ignore Warning—Bodies of Victims Recovered

Winnipeg, Nov. 3.—Four deaths by drowning in Nettle Creek, near St. Louis, Man., about 35 miles from this city, in the direction of Lake Winnipeg, occurred yesterday afternoon. The victims were Melville McNair, aged 14, two cousins named Eddie Kirkness and Emma Settee, aged 9, and Veronica Berthold, aged 8.

The oldest of the victims owned a sleigh and a team of dogs, and at the noon recess he invited the children of the school to go for a ride on the ice of the creek, which in places is about an inch thick. All refused, but the others tried to keep them from going, and the storekeeper near the school, Thos. Sargent, warned them and kept his own boy from going.

The teacher of the school, E. M. Currie, missing the three younger ones at 1:30, sent boys to find them. The boys soon located the dogs sitting beside a hole in the ice and the sleigh floating in the water. The alarm was spread and the bodies were recovered in seven feet of water, but the most determined efforts at resuscitation failed to bring back life.

Coroner Ross, of Selkirk, was notified and decided that an inquest will not be necessary.

The boys of the neighborhood have been skating on a bay in the creek since Saturday, but never ventured on the main stream.

When found the body of McNair was some distance from the hole. His face was scratched as though cut by the ice in an effort to break through. He was a strong swimmer for his age. The face of the Berthold girl was also scratched. The dogs were not even wet.

KNOCKED DOWN BY AUTO.
D. B. Ridpath, Toronto Hockey Player, Sustains Serious Injuries.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—D. Bruce Ridpath, the well-known hockey player, is lying unconscious in St. Michael's hospital and the chances for his recovery are very slim. He is suffering from concussion of the brain, his face and head are badly cut and bruised and although the doctors are not yet positive, he apparently has a fractured skull. His injuries resulted from an automobile accident at Yonge and Alexander streets last night. He was struck by an auto owned and driven by Colin A. Campbell, 62 Havelock street.

Ridpath had left a Yonge street car and walked behind it when the auto containing a party of men and women came along Yonge street and struck Ridpath down. He was thrown to the side of the street with great force as the auto was travelling fairly fast. Campbell was arrested shortly after midnight charged with causing grievous bodily injuries.

DIES OF HEART FAILURE.
Winnipeg, Nov. 3.—O. Pierson, postmaster and storekeeper of St. Vital, was found dead in bed of heart failure yesterday. A neighbor, P. Dolore, noticed the place deserted and went in making the discovery. The wife, son and daughter of deceased are away on a visit to friends in another part of the province. No inquest will be held.

CANADIAN NORTHERN HOTEL AT WINNIPEG

Will Be Erected Near New Union Station at Cost of \$2,000,000

Winnipeg, Nov. 3.—An evening paper will announce to-day that the Canadian Northern Railway Company has completed plans for its Winnipeg hotel, which will cost \$2,000,000, and will be the finest in Canada. The site will be on some of the company's property adjacent to the new Union station, and work will start in the spring.

Apologies of this announcement a good deal of uncertainty continues to exist here as to whether the Hudson's Bay Company will build on the new site, or whether they will build on the Portage avenue, or whether they will still further develop the policy of enlarging the present stores, which are right opposite the new Union station. It is no secret that Sir Wm. Mackenzie is very much opposed to moving the Hudson's Bay stores out on to Portage, because the Hudson's Bay Company is selling the present site of the Union station to Mackenzie & Mann insisted that the terminals should be opposite the store. As a director of the Hudson's Bay Sir William is reported to have urged the retention of the present site.

CHINA TO HAVE NEW CONSTITUTION

TENTATIVE PLAN IS ACCEPTED BY THRONE

Provides for Perpetuity of Manchu Dynasty—Emperor's Power Restricted

Peking, Nov. 3.—The National Assembly completed to-day a declaration on the basis of which it proposes to construct the new constitution of China. It was submitted to the throne and accepted immediately. The tentative plan provides for the perpetuity of the Manchu dynasty, but the power of the emperor is closely restricted by the constitution which is to be written by the National Assembly and subject to amendment by parliament.

The imperial princes are made ineligible to the offices of premier, members of the cabinet and administrators of the provinces.

The declaration follows:

1. The emperor shall reign forever.
2. A person of the La Ching dynasty (the great pure dynasty, the same being the name adopted by the ruling family) shall be emperor inviolable.
3. The power of the emperor shall be limited by the constitution.
4. The order of succession to the throne shall be prescribed by the constitution.
5. The constitution shall be taken up and adopted by the National Assembly and will be promulgated by the emperor.
6. The power of amending the constitution shall belong to parliament.
7. The members of the Upper House shall be elected by the people from those particularly eligible.
8. The parliament shall elect and the emperor shall appoint the premier, who will recommend the other members of the cabinet, who also shall be appointed by the emperor. The imperial princes will be ineligible for the office of premier or members of the cabinet or administrative heads of the provinces.
9. If the premier, when impeached by parliament does not dissolve parliament, he must resign. One cabinet shall not be allowed to dissolve parliament more than once.
10. The emperor shall have direct control of army and navy, but when this power is used in connection with internal affairs the emperor must observe special conditions to be decided by parliament.
11. Imperial decrees cannot be issued to replace the law except in the event of urgent necessity; in which case they may issue in accordance with special conditions.
12. International treaties shall not be concluded against the consent of parliament, but treaties for the conclusion of peace and declaration of war may be made by the emperor if parliament is not sitting, the approval of parliament to be obtained afterwards.
13. Ordinances in connection with the administration shall be settled by acts of parliament.
14. In case of the financial budget failing to receive the approval of parliament, the government may not act upon the budget of the previous year, nor may items of expenditure not provided in the budget be approved there to until the government shall adopt extraordinary financial measures outside the budget.
15. Regulations in connection with the imperial family must not conflict with the constitution.
16. The two Houses shall establish the machinery for the administration of the court.
17. The emperor shall promulgate the decision of parliament.
18. The National Assembly shall act on articles 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 18, until the opening of parliament.

B. C. EXHIBITS STOLEN.
London, Nov. 3.—Early to-day a thief broke into the window of the C. P. R. offices fronting on Trafalgar Square and stole gold dust and other minerals from the British Columbia collection there exhibited. A policeman gave an unsuccessful chase.

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ELECTION PROTESTED.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 3.—Protest papers against the election of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in Rouleau were served on him this morning. General charges of irregularities by agents are charged, but it is not expected the petition will be pressed. The effect will be to prevent Laurier electing which of his two seats he will hold until the protest is disposed of.

WORKMEN INJURED.

Vancouver, Nov. 3.—Two injured workmen were brought down from the Britannia mines last evening. Alex. J. McDonald had sustained a crushed foot and William MacWhinney a crushed ankle. Both were taken to the General hospital. George Johnson was taken to St. Paul's hospital after having his hand severed at the wrist in the sawmill at Barnet.

FRENCH PROTECTORATE.

Paris, Nov. 3.—The contents of the French-German accords, as were given to-day, show that Germany recognizes the right of France to establish a protectorate in Morocco. Both nations agree to obtain the adhesion to this accord of other signatories to the Algeiras agreement.

BORDEN SPEAKS AT HALIFAX

Halifax, N. S., Nov. 3.—Premier Borden last night was the guest of honor at a banquet, attended by nearly 1,000 people, who crowded the monster Mayflower rink.

Hon. George E. Foster, Hon. Frank Cochrane and other members of the cabinet, responded to the toast of "The Cabinet," eloquently proposed by A. D. Crosby. Mr. Borden's running mate at the last two elections in Halifax, King, "Mr. Borden" and "The Members of Mr. Borden's Cabinet."

Mr. Borden's response to the toast in his honor was in part as follows: "Mr. Chairman and gentlemen: I need not tell you that I am greatly pleased by this splendid reception accorded to me in this city where I have spent the best years of my life and which I have had the honor of representing for many years in the parliament of Canada. I am proud of this reception because it is accorded to me by those with whom I have fought shoulder to shoulder and side by side in some of the fiercest political battles ever waged in Canada. The people which confronted the people of Canada in the recent contest was of surpassing interest, and perhaps not only to Canada but to the whole Empire. Its importance was realized by the people of Canada, and it is not amiss on this occasion, to express our appreciation of those Liberals who placed the interests of Canada over the ties of party allegiance and who fought with us on the campaign for the welfare of Canada and of the Empire. The Liberal party would not be worthy of its records, of its traditions, and it would not be worthy of the name which it bears, if it were not able to welcome the aid of such men. It would not be worthy of its record, of its traditions and of its name if it were not willing to recognize, as we have sought to do, the aid which these men have brought in that contest. In some quarters which I need not name the claim has been made that the result of the election was due to some hostile or unfriendly spirit on the part of the Canadian people to the great neighboring republic. It is desired that such a claim, if it exists, should be dispelled. The Canadian people was in no way induced by a spirit of unkindness to the United States. It was rather brought about by their determination to maintain complete control of their own fiscal system and to mould their own destiny along the lines of a policy which has been pursued in this country for the past thirty years. Canada is an autonomous nation within the British Empire and is closely and inseparably united to that Empire by ties of kinship, of sentiment and of fealty, by historic association and tradition, by the character of its institutions and by the free will of its people.

"But, Mr. Chairman, I did not come here to exult over our success. The victory has brought with it responsibilities to which no man in Canada is more keenly alive than myself. The Liberal-Conservative party must be true to its record and its traditions. It must give to the people of Canada intelligent, progressive and clean government. There are many problems which confront these who are responsible for the administration of public affairs in Canada to-day. Great problems have been solved in the past, and no greater problem will be solved by any people than the binding together of the scattered communities of eastern Canada into one Dominion and

two years. In fact, it is on record, on another occasion, that Mr. McBride, who was elected in a letter to Ottawa, that he would not carry on any more negotiations respecting the administration of Indian reserves, and, like a school-boy offended with a companion, he has kept his promise and refused to speak by. The Premier of British Columbia might have had both the Indian reserve and fisheries questions finally disposed of long ago, and in probably the only manner they can be disposed of—by a decision on the constitutional questions involved of the Supreme Court or Privy Council. He would not then agree to have these matters disposed of in that way; it remains to be seen in what way they can now be disposed of when the two governments are Conservative. Can the constitutional obligations of either government, in respect to Indians or fisheries, be surrendered at will, or by barter, or compromise, and without amending the B. N. A. Act, or securing a judicial interpretation of the same? Mr. Bower would probably say, "Yes, of course, Ottawa and Victoria can agree to do anything they like, in both matters, and without reference to the constitution." And as Mr. Bower is a lawyer, and an attorney-general, he may be right. But until a greater legal authority than Bower says that the constitution of Canada may be amended—

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REBELS TAKE NATIVE CITY OF SHANGHAI

No Resistance Offered By Authorities—More Im-
portant Towns Likely to Fall Soon—Conflag-
ration Reported at Hankow.

Shanghai, Nov. 3.—The arsenal and the native city of Shanghai were taken over by the revolutionists late to-day. No resistance was offered by the authorities and such of the public as remains loyal.

It is expected that Wu Sung, at the mouth of the Wu Sung river, and ten miles north of Shanghai, and the river fortifications will fall to-night. It is confidently believed that Nan-king and Ching Kiang will be captured by the rebels to-morrow.

Some of the foreign warships landed marines in the city before the rebels took possession. Foreign volunteers were called out and have taken every precaution to protect the concessions. It is reported that the rebels at Kiu Kiang have seized the British tugboat Sampson.

It became evident early in the afternoon that the rebels purposed to take the city by a pincer movement, a short time, though it was not thought they would occupy the arsenal before night. As the day proceeded the rebel flag was hoisted over all the buildings in the vicinity of the arsenal and thousands wearing on their arms the white band, insignia of the constitutionalists, gathered in the street. The police and native soldiers made no attempt to interfere, on the contrary, fraternized with the insurgents.

The Taotal, realizing the inevitable, caused notices to be posted stating that the native city might be taken over by the revolutionists and expressed the hope that the public would not be thrown into a panic and that it was without effect.

At 2:30 o'clock all telephone and telegraphic communication with the arsenal was cut off. The rebel throng grew to greater proportions. A number of shots were fired by the government forces in the direction of the mob, but these were without effect. The natives were all in sympathy with the rebels. At this point the Taotal fled and the arsenal and native city quietly capitulated.

The revolutionary leaders here have telegraphed General Li Yuen Heng, the head of the rebel movement, advising him to cease hostilities pending developments at Peking.

Complaints reached this city to-day that the rebels held the forts below Kiu Kiang, and are firing indiscriminately at steamers passing that city in the night time.

The latest advices from Hankow give assurance that the foreign concessions are safe and have not been seriously disturbed by the rioting in the native city.

The province of Yuen Nan, on the southwestern frontier of China, has declared its independence according to reports received here to-day.

Yuen Nan, which fronts on Tibet and Burma, is known as the Switzer-land of China, has an area of nearly 150,000 square miles and a population of about 2,500,000. It contains China's richest mineral deposits and boundless stores of anthracite coal. Agricultural and stock raising are extensively carried on and the province produces some of the best grades

of tea. It was the principal scene of the great Mohammedan rebellion, which lasted for 16 years and was suppressed in 1872.

Flames Sweeping Hankow.
Hankow, Nov. 3.—Delayed dispatches from Hankow sent via Wu Hu, describe the situation as appalling. A conflagration was sweeping over the city and fighting was in progress in several quarters between considerable bodies of rebels and loyalists. The imperial batteries were dropping explosive shells into the native quarter, while the rebels on the other side of the river, had brought long range guns into play from the Wu Chang forts and were firing with fair effect on the Loyalists' positions. The fighting was clearly visible from European concessions and several stray bullets dropped in the British concession but without doing serious damage.

The victory of Kwang Tung province at Canton has dispatched a gunboat to this city to transport an immense supply of ammunition, firearms and Maxims for which he had contracted with foreign firms.

Pardon for Pardon.
San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 3.—Advices were received from Canton yesterday by the Chung Sa Yat Po newspaper stating that Viceroy Chang Ming Chi of that province had wired a message to the prince regent asking for a pardon for Wang Chung Wei, who had attempted to assassinate the prince a year ago last spring. The pardon, he said, would go far to placate the people and to show the attitude of the government towards the Republicans. Full pardon was also asked for the revolutionary general, Li Yuen Heng.

According to a message from Canton to the Chinese Free Press, General Li has absolutely refused to consider peace offers of the Manchukuo unless they yield the throne to the republicans. Revolutionists are said to occupy all the railway stations near Hankow and to have inflicted a loss of more than a thousand men on the Imperialists in a battle Wednesday.

The Imperial government is reported to have given in to all the demands imposed by the army league, composing five garrisons in nearby parts. According to a dispatch received from Shanghai to-day by the Chinese Free Press, the Revolutionists explain their act in firing on the ship carrying the Japanese flag by saying the vessel was filled with munitions of war for the Imperial troops and merely used the flag as a blind. The incident occurred in the river, near Han Yang, where the great arsenal is.

The rebels are said to be occupying the province of Kwang Si, west of Canton. No resistance was offered by the people. The rebel army, marching from Wu Chow, the metropolis of the province, to invade the district of Shu Hing in the Canton province.

The Chung Sa Yat Po, a daily paper, has received cables, confirming the rumors that the people of Yuen Tong province have proclaimed independence and also the peaceful occupation of the native city of Shanghai by the rebels.

CHEHALIS FIRE.
Coroner's Jury Unable to Determine Cause of Disaster in Powder Plant.

Chehalis, Wash., Nov. 3.—The eight girls who lost their lives in the fire which destroyed the plant of the Imperial Powder Company here last yesterday came to their death "from fire, the origin of which was purely accidental," though unknown," according to the coroner's jury after that body had spent practically all yesterday afternoon in its investigation. Nothing in the testimony served to show where the fire came from and the jury in its findings declares it to "simply be an inexplicable mystery."

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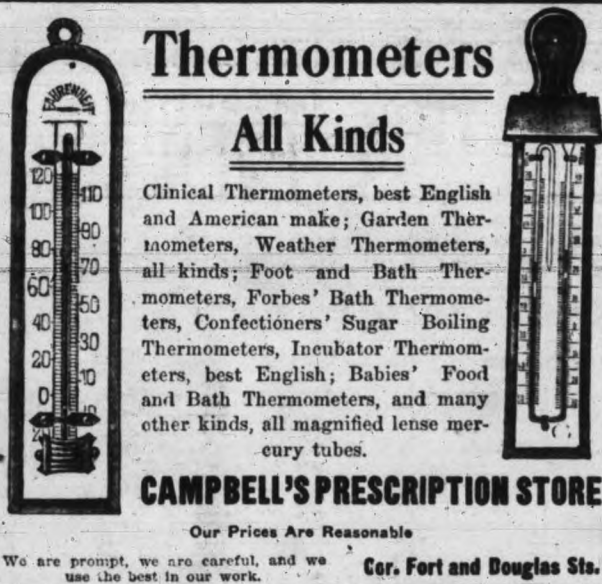
Edmonton, Nov. 3.—The Alberta provincial house will meet on Thursday, November 16. The present standing of parties is Liberals, 33; Conservatives, 6; Farmer-Socialist, 1. Upon questions connected with the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway at the last session the followers of Rutherford and Cross voted against the Sifton administration. Should all these again oppose there would be a very close vote.

REBELS TAKE NATIVE CITY OF SHANGHAI

No Resistance Offered By Authorities—More Im-
portant Towns Likely to Fall Soon—Conflag-
ration Reported at Hankow.

Shanghai, Nov. 3.—The arsenal and the native city of Shanghai were taken over by the revolutionists late to-day. No resistance was offered by the authorities and such of the public as remains loyal.

It is expected that Wu Sung, at the mouth of the Wu Sung river, and ten miles north of Shanghai, and the river fortifications will fall to-night. It is confidently believed that Nan-king and Ch



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| Mitchell's, Imp. pt. | \$0.65 |
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| Hennessy's XXX, pr. bot. | \$1.75 |
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| Creme de Cocoa, pr. bottle | \$1.75 |
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The school magazine, which is issued by the authority of the provincial department of education, has made its appearance. The introductory number contains special articles on "England's Darling," King Alfred; an inspiring essay on Patriotism; a "True Tale From the Veldt," from the pen of Margaret Johnston; a striking tribute to the pioneers of Canada; and "A Legend of Service," by Dr. H. B. Gray. There is also a new poem by the author-editor, its theme being the Canadian emblem.

The School Magazine owes its origin to the example set by New Zealand. The editor, in his first publication, draws attention to the suggestion of Earl Grey that the Dominion should follow the lead set by New Zealand. Hon. Dr. Young, minister of education, has authorized the publication, acting upon Earl Grey's suggestion.

The magazine contains much interesting matter well written and typographically perfect.



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OVERCROWDING IN VICTORIA THEATRE

OFFENCE ALLEGED ON MONDAY NIGHT

Taking Ways of a Legal Gentleman Prevented Decision by Magistrate To-day

Alleged overcrowding of the gallery and allowing persons attending the performance of "The Paradise of Hymen" at the Victoria theatre on Monday night to sit in the aisles of the gallery, was made the matter of a prosecution in the police court this morning against the theatre management by F. B. Marshall Thomas Davis. The magistrate reserved his decision until to-morrow morning because some one of the legal gentlemen attending at the police court had inadvertently borrowed one of the magistrate's books, and his worship was this morning unable to look up the statute which, according to R. C. Lowe, who represented Clifford Denham, manager of the theatre, proves that the by-law under which the prosecution is laid, is ultra vires.

Mr. Lowe holds that the by-law is not warranted by the Municipal Clauses Act, and that the city council is in the same position to it as to the wood by-law, which was upset by the higher court.

The fire marshal made his theatrical rounds on Monday night and reached the Victoria theatre between 8.30 and 9 o'clock. Upstairs he found people sitting in the aisles and went down and complained after having them turned out of the theatre.

The manager of the theatre said in reference to the fire marshal's complaint that he had issued 250 tickets for the gallery and that all were sold. The gallery would hold more than that number. "The fire chief," he said, "walked down stairs, raised his voice considerably and said, 'I've turned people out upstairs. I'm going to make an example of you and summons you to-morrow.'"

Mr. Denham said the curtain went up at 8.35 on Monday night and the lights were dark through the house. The people in the gallery could not see their way to seats until the light was on again. If they were sitting on the aisles it was because they had not then had time to be seated. He went upstairs on the fire chief's complaint and found the aisles clear.

The defence held that the by-law could not apply to persons on their way to seats, and that the matter complained of by the fire marshal was not preventable at the moment.

Evidence to prove that the management of the theatre had refused standing room tickets was given by Douglas Neil McIntyre, deputy commissioner of fisheries, who said on several occasions the manager of the theatre had refused to sell him standing room tickets. Questioned in cross-examination if he had applied for admission to the gallery on those occasions or ever sat there when he went to a show, the witness replied in the negative.

A question was raised by the magistrate as to the distinction between a "show" and a theatrical performance. The statute of 1906 gives municipal councils power to pass by-laws for the regulation of "shows." Mr. Lowe held these did not apply to a theatre, but probably a circus. It was a case of when is a theatre not a theatre, and is a concert a "show" if held in a theatre.

Frederick Charles Neill, ticket seller at the gallery entrance, said that the manager handed him 250 only for Monday night, and that he sold them all.

Mr. Harrison: "Did you speak to Manager Dennis?"

Mr. Denham (loudly): "Denham." Mr. Harrison's question was not concluded.

The people who were told to leave the gallery of the theatre by the fire chief received their money back from the box office.

George M. Griffin received three months' imprisonment because the night before last he knocked the teeth out of the head of a portable poodle dog and proprietor who does business on the kerb at night at Yates and Government streets. Griffin took some chicken and a "hot dog," and when the vendor went after them he was met with a hard blow on the mouth. The vendor is named Alphonse, and remarked that it will be 20 years to-morrow since first he commenced the portable poodle dog business.

A young man named R. H. Thompson received three months for stealing clothing valued at \$42 from a man named Davidson who had befriended him. He begged from Davidson, who took the other to his room and gave him a lodging. Thompson arose in the night and took away the clothes which he sold for \$42. The owner of the clothing this morning pleaded to the magistrate to let the accused go. "He's only a boy," he said, "please give him a chance."

An attempt to smash the C. P. R. system beginning at the Belleville street waiting room, where E. Beard put his foot through the window and then his shoulder to the door-panel, resulted in his writing a cheque this morning for \$20, half of which will go to the city treasury and the other half to the payment of damages for the C. P. R.

David Spencer, Ltd.; Robt. Guilan, Grant & Lineham, each paid \$20 for automobile speeding, and W. E. McIntyre paid \$10 for not having a properly burning light at the rear of his automobile. H. E. Nelson, who had no light on his rig after dark, paid a fine of \$5; a number of remands were ordered, including the charge against the colored woman Maud Lawson, who is held in connection with the wounded man, her husband, now in the Jubilee hospital, as the result of a gun-shot wound. He is expected to be sufficiently recovered by Tuesday to appear in court, when the woman will be charged.

CIVIC PROCEDURE RULING IS READY

SPEAKER'S OPINION WILL FAVOR ALDERMAN

Statement is Based on Good Authority—Sooke Lake Supply Question

The opinion of Mr. Speaker Eberts on the procedure question which was referred to him arising out of the proceedings of Friday last, when the council was engaged in discussion of the suspension of the city engineer, will come up to-night, though up till noon the reply had not yet been received at the city clerk's office. It was, however, learnt in a well-informed source this morning that the Speaker's ruling will support the council, and sustain their action, in consequence reinstating the engineer and validating the business done after the usual hour for adjournment.

Alderman Langley will move for information with regard to the Sooke lake water supply, and the progress made upon the completion of the surveys and plans, which Water Commissioner Raymur will be asked to supply. Before any law can be submitted the report of Mr. Wynne Meredith must be received, and this is expected any day, and with it the necessary estimates of cost. As foreshadowed already the new scheme is likely to be much cheaper than the previous proposal, and as the water question will be the fundamental problem of Victoria municipal politics next year, the greatest interest is taken in the publication of this report.

Alderman Okell has two notices of motion down, one to introduce a building by-law and the other to amend the explosives by-law. The former is a very lengthy document. The latter seeks to regulate the sale of gasoline. The cause of the amendment is that some gasoline has escaped down drains and ignited and caused the sewer pipes to be blown out on one or two occasions. The building by-law is an immense compilation which will require several hours' consideration, and covers a wide field, but it will hardly be reached to-night, with many other matters before the city fathers.

PREPARING REPORT.

Need of Increased Court House and Land Registry Accommodation.

A committee from the Board of Trade council is meeting jointly with representatives of the real estate firms and the Law Society this afternoon to prepare a report on the court house and land registry accommodation.

The Board of Trade committee visited the post office yesterday morning to investigate the conditions there. The report will be laid before the council of the Board of Trade at the meeting on Tuesday afternoon.

SUCCUMBS TO PLAGUE.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 3.—Since the appearance of the case of bubonic plague in the Isthmian canal zone last month, fear that the dreaded disease might obtain a foothold there has

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caused considerable uneasiness. Rigid precautions were taken, however, and as the period of development of the disease has now expired, it is declared by the physicians that there is no possibility of the plague spreading from the case.

H. T. Bolton, who had just returned to the Isthmus from Ecuador, died at Ancon hospital from the plague on October 17.

SOLDIERS SWEAR ALLEGIANCE.

Ensenada, Lower California, Mex., Nov. 3 (via San Diego, Cal.)—Two thousand officers and men of the Mexican army yesterday afternoon swore allegiance to the new government of Mexico in the presence of practically the entire population of this place. The ceremony was conducted by Colonel Miguel Mayot, commander of the regular Mexican army. The troops were drawn up in two columns, and with the head of the column at the government building. Then the flag was unfurled, the officers laid their bare swords on the flag, the troops presented arms and the oath was administered.

TWO CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Eureka, Utah, Nov. 2.—Caught by a cave-in yesterday in the Chief Consolidated mine, Walter Ferguson and William Allen were crushed to death. John Johnson sustained serious injuries.

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STRIKE TRAGEDY

Union Machinist Shot in Portland as He Shot of Quirel.

Portland, Oct. 29.—William A. Wortman, a union machinist, was shot and killed late yesterday by Bert Hicks, proprietor of a small machine shop.

The shooting occurred in a store at Grand Avenue and East Morrison street, after the men had fought their way from the sidewalk, where the quarrel commenced. Hicks surrendered himself to the police. He admits the shooting, but says it was in self-defense.

According to the story that Hicks told the police, Wortman had followed him for several blocks, and when Hicks stopped at the store entrance, Wortman rushed up to him and attempted to shoot him.

Hicks responded in kind and the men clinched. They scuffled through the store entrance and half way back to the main aisle, when Hicks declares, Wort-

man made a motion as if to draw a revolver. When his opponent did this, Hicks says he drew his pistol and shot, hitting Wortman in the abdomen.

Hicks has recently had trouble with union machinists, his men striking at the time the federated shop employees of the Harriman system walked out. Since then his shop has been the storm centre of considerable disorder, an extra patrolman having been placed on that beat and two arrests for brawling being made.

In addition to a fully loaded automatic pistol, which Hicks surrendered to the police, two extra clips of cartridges were found in his pocket.

Wortman came to Portland from San Francisco last March and resided with his mother, Mrs. Mary Wortman. Wortman had been doing picket duty for several weeks.

PRINCES IN AIRSHIP

Berlin, Nov. 2.—Count Zeppelin's dirigible balloon Schwanen II yesterday took up a royal party, including Prince August Wilhelm and the Princesses Eitel Friederich, Oscar and Joachim, sons of the Emperor, Prince Frederick Leopold of Prussia, Prince George of Greece, the minister of the interior and Vice-chancellor Delbrück, and the Prussian minister of state, Paul von Hohenhausen.

The airship cruised from Johannistal to Potsdam, where it hovered over the royal palace for a time.

M. Klotz, the French minister of finance, has published the official estimates of the army as it was composed last year, when there were under arms 581,891 men, which force could be increased at once by 300,000—the first reserve. Another force of 1,400,000 would be added on mobilization, and finally the last line of 1,700,000 men thus making a grand total of 4,500,000 men.

THOUSAND SLAIN BY MUTINEERS

CITY CAPTURED BY

SHAN SHI TROOPS

Former Premier of China Will Present Request for Reform

Peking, Nov. 2.—Prince Ching, the old premier, who is the only high Manchurian official left here, has agreed to mediate the throne with the suggestions that laws opposed to constitutional methods be annulled immediately; second, that the election of members of parliament be called without delay; third, that the provincial assemblies throughout the empire be granted co-ordinate authority with the provincial administrative officials; fourth, that in order to avert an open rupture with the Manchurian royalty, a plan be drawn up to provide for the support of the Manchurian banner and pensioners, and the eighth division of the imperial Manchurian militia be disbanded; fifth, that the Manchurian banner be abolished; Chinese surnames, and sixth, that a formal proclamation be issued that military force will not be used against the revolutionaries.

The massacre of natives at Hankow by imperial troops, intelligence of which has reached both the war office and the German legation, may prove a serious hindrance to the peace negotiations which Yuan Shi Kai has been endeavoring to inaugurate with the rebel leaders. The Imperialists have apparently got beyond control, and further fighting is feared. In such a case it will be difficult to protect the foreign concessions, as they are separated from the native city by streets only 50 or 60 feet wide.

It is reported that the board at Peking has declined to accept the suggestion of foreign doctors to form a Red Cross Society on the lines of the Geneva convention, the board seeming to feel that the rebels do not deserve humane treatment. The massacre, according to some advice, began before the departure of General Yin Tehang.

The exodus from Peking continues, the doors of many shops, as well as the private houses, being closed in anticipation of a massacre.

The missionaries, who have had a conference with the legations, have decided that the four soldiers placed in each of the four large mission compounds would suffice to prevent ordinary outlaws and looting which is expected to begin at night. Should there be a general outbreak, all the others could take refuge in the Methodist mission, which is immediately east of the legation quarter and is easily defended.

An official dispatch from Shin Kai Tan, Shan Shi province, says that a regiment of Shan Shi troops, which has been dispatched to assist the Imperialists, has mutinied. The mutineers killed their organizer-general and then bombarded a Manchurian city, inflicting a thousand Manchus, including the governor and his family.

Letters dated October 29 and 30 from the Associated Press correspondent with the Imperialist army at Hankow, say that in the struggle for the possession of the city there was hand to hand fighting in the streets, the quarters being too close for shooting. The rebels, mostly raw recruits, not understanding the use of the rifles, were driven back with much slaughter, their dead piling up on the quay. The casualties among the Imperialists for two days, October 28 and 29, were 30 killed and 160 wounded. The rebels had about 700 killed and wounded.

The fighting continues the correspondent, until the last three days had not been serious. The rebels had the advantage in artillery, but their shells did not explode. The Imperialists had the advantage in troops, but they were poorly provisioned. No prisoners were taken. Rebels captured alive were shot or decapitated.

It is learned that the most barbarous outrages were perpetrated on innocent persons in the villages. An officer of Yin Tehang's staff explained that the outrages were committed by only forty men of the Hupei division.

General Yin Tehang refused permission to the correspondents to proceed to the front, and placed them under the strictest surveillance. At headquarters all telegrams undergo the strictest censorship. The staff officers, says the correspondent, are quartered in an express with engine attached for immediate service.

The chief of staff, Colonel Yin, is now at the front directing operations. The general staff consists mostly of German and Japanese trained men, but the campaign does not reflect much credit on them, as they are seemingly ignorant of the country. The soldiers are not bothered by the officers and do as they please. Coming from the northern provinces, they have no sympathy with the rebels.

Prior to the opening of operations on October 27, General Yin Tehang told the respective commanders that the advance must be made and rewards were offered to the soldiers for every man captured.

The advance was slow because the Imperialists had to advance through pools of water for much of the distance. The rebels, who at first number-

THINKING THEMES

BY DR. FRANK CRANE

It is a question whether our day of religious toleration is something for the religious man to congratulate himself upon. When people quit arguing about a thing they have quit being interested in it, as a rule. In the cheerful old times when men stood bravely up in rows, and backed at each other with swords over such an issue as the Real Presence in the Eucharist, when Homoeopaths and Homoeopaths threw stones and curses at each other in the face of their respective convictions that Christ was identical or similar in substance with the Father, when heretics took up pikes and the orthodox invoked the secular arm, when Puritans shot, and iconoclasts smashed, and Holy Church showed its teeth, men at least believed in things.

The rare old days of religious discussions are gone. Time was when all the neighbors for miles around crowded the country school-house night after night to hear the debate between the Baptists and the Methodists, and while the elders wrangled in the house, the boys fought out behind the house. Then the corner grocery was lit till midnight while Ephraim Tutt and Simon Legree were at it, and when after the question, whether Jesus went merely to the water or down into the water.

From this combative aggressiveness of opinion sprang missions, when it was thought worth while to make the whole world think as we think.

Now that we are fallen upon days when religion is held to be but character, when morals are considered rather hatched to personality and principles than to creeds and metaphysical and historical statements, the world may be growing better, but the outlook is not favorable to the Church Militant. The era when men were supposed to fight and die for the faith was much more favorable to the Organization than this era when men are supposed merely to think and keep their mouths shut.

ed not more than 1,000, shot from the house tops until compelled to retire, the shells from the warships setting the houses on fire. General Wang Chou Yuen, commanding the fourth division, stood bravely holding revolvers and shot the soldiers who refused to fight.

Dispatches received in Peking last night say the rebels occupied Chi Hsin on Monday last, but the following day the Imperialists drove them to Laiing Tse Kueing, an impregnable pass in the mountainous country. The rebels have torn up a half mile stretch of railroad and blocked the tunnel, and now hold the pass with a small body of men.

STRENGTHENING ITALY'S FLEET

Twenty-Three Gunboats Reported to Be on the Way to Tripoli

Frankfurt, Germany, Nov. 2.—The Frankfurter Zeitung's Milan correspondent says the Italian navy is strengthening its fleet with ships from the reserve. Twenty-three gunboats are proceeding from Spezia to Tripoli.

Causes Sensation.

London, Nov. 2.—The Daily Telegraph's Constantinople correspondent says a sensation has been caused at Istanbul by the fact that the ex-grand vizier, if impeached for failure in the defence of Tripoli, will declare that the German ambassador repeatedly assured him Italy would never send a regiment of ship to Tripoli. For that reason his cabinet had not considered it necessary to dispatch troops or war material to Tripoli.

Forced From Position.

Tripoli, Nov. 2.—The Eighty-Second Italian Infantry was forced to fall back from its position by a force of Turks which appeared before the line of defence, Wednesday night. Failure of shells to explode rendered ineffective fire from Turkish guns brought up south of the line. The Italian artillery shelled the guns and forced the Turks to retire.

Generals Address Troops.

Rome, Nov. 2.—A dispatch to the Giornale Italia from Tripoli describes the observance of All Souls' Day at the Italian military headquarters at Benghazi. After the chaplain had celebrated mass, each general addressed the soldiers, urging them to imitate the example of the officers and men who had won victory and honor for their country by shedding their blood. The thousands of soldiers responded with cries of "Long live Italy."

TESTING NEW INVENTION.

New York, Nov. 2.—An invention which, by means of compressed air, is proposed to keep water from entering ships through holes is being tested on board the battleship North Carolina. Commander C. C. March, of the North Carolina, thinks that the use of the apparatus will prevent vessels from going to the bottom after collision or when hit by torpedoes or shells, and declares it will revolutionize marine warfare. The invention is merely an adaptation to the compartments of ships of the science of air pressure as already applied to tunnel building. It was developed by one of the engineers of the subway in this city.

STOLEN FROM MAIL.

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 3.—Nathaniel C. Lewis, janitor of the United States post office was arrested yesterday, charged with robbing the mails. After his arrest, Lewis confessed to post office inspectors that he had stolen jewelry, clothing and small articles. He looted a silverware package yesterday morning while he was under surveillance, and put the plunder in his locker.

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WILL INVEST IN ISLAND TIMBER

Detroit and Grand Rapids Capitalists Will Spend Millions

Vancouver, Nov. 2.—Detroit and Grand Rapids capitalists, who own large timber holdings in British Columbia have just incorporated the Timber Realization Company under the laws of the state of Michigan for the purpose of doing business in this province. The company will be registered at Victoria as an extra-territorial corporation.

R. S. Babcock, of Grand Rapids, has been appointed managing director. He is here in connection with the opening of offices in the city. He stated that the company, owing to its large resources, would soon be prepared to make timber investments on Vancouver Island as well as on the mainland. It was also proposed to assist timber license holders who might happen to be short of cash when the yearly payments to the government fell due.

Mr. Babcock expressed the belief that the investments of his company would ultimately amount to millions of dollars.

EARL GREY ENTERTAINED.

London, Nov. 3.—Earl Grey was entertained at a banquet at Newcastle, presided over by the Duke of Northumberland. In the course of his speech, Earl Grey said the people of Canada were busy laying on firm lines the foundation of a great Empire.

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Hotel Vancouver.

LABOR ALDERMEN

The suggestion seriously considered at the last meeting of the Trades and Labor Council to have that body place candidates in the civic field for aldermanic honors is one which we think will commend itself to all those who take the cosmopolitan view of the welfare of the city. We incline to the opinion more readily because of the ill-advised boast of several well-known political bosses immediately after the recent federal election that it was the intention of a clique in the city to inaugurate a straight-party system of government in Victoria. We regard any proposal to establish political party lines in the government of a city as iniquitous both in intent and in effect. Should a civic contest be fought out on party lines the result could be only that a majority of one or other political party would be in power, and the city council must resolve itself into a miniature legislative assembly with government and opposition. The result could be only more disastrous to the city than the present dead-lock conditions which exist as between an autocratic mayor and a stubbornly stultified council. Men elected to the city council as party men could not be expected to remain anything but party men in their conduct of civic affairs, and the reduction of these to the level of political rather than civic interest would be fatal to the administration of civic affairs.

Yet the peculiar hole-in-the corner methods which resulted in an unusually early announcement of a mayoralty candidate confirm the statement made a month ago that party lines are to prevail. If this is to be the case the Trades and Labor Council is entitled to its share of representation on the civic board, and we have not the slightest doubt that the Trades Council can put in the field in each ward a man who is as well qualified for the discharge of the duties of an alderman as are some of those who have sat on the council board in former years or in the present year.

We believe it to be quite as much in the interests of the city that the labor interests be represented on the council board as that the interests of any other class should be. We believe also that it is far better to have wage earners have a voice in the affairs which affect wage earners than that these should be at the mercy of aldermen who would not scruple to utilize them for party purposes when the latter are elected on strictly party lines. Ratepayers laborers have as good a right to a place on the civic council as other ratepayers, and we are of the opinion that as much intelligence would be displayed by these in the management of civic affairs as is displayed by some of those who do not now take any too broad or disinterested views of municipal interests.

BEATING THE TOMTOMS.

Every Canadian who reads the news-
papers knows that Premier McBride
has gone to Ottawa. It would be im-
possible to close the ears to the din
and noise that have been made in
heralding the fact. Besides, the din
and noise have served to warn Ottawa

that the Premier and Attorney-General
are on the way and will arrive in due
season if they do not fall by the way-
side. It has been suggested to the
Times by a parliamentarian of no mean
city that the din and noise incident to
the unhurried departure of the Pre-
mier and his aide are quite unusual;
in fact quite out of the ordinary in
cases when dignitaries of a great pro-
vince leave home on a mission of such
delicacy, involving as it does so many
matters that may reasonably be ex-
pected to be the subject of careful
thought and calm, deliberate solution.
Even the Great Powers, if they had
some of the matters to deal with that
are in the Premier's programme, would
proceed diplomatically and with some
degree of reticence so far as the con-
fidences of the public are concerned.

Not so Premier McBride. He would
have all the world know what he is
going to Ottawa for, and particularly
he would have Ottawa know well in
advance of his arrival. He has also
caused it to be made known, deferential-
ly of course, through his organ here,
that he expects some recognition from
Ottawa for his assistance in swelling
the unwieldy majority with which Mr.
Borden has been elected to power. He
would not have it go unperceived that
the delivery of the whole of the seats
in an entire province is something of
an achievement and, for fear it should
be overlooked, he would have it under-
stood that such virtue is not its own
reward. He knows that there is a mis-
taken theory beclouding the minds of
many Conservatives that virtue is its
own reward, and he wishes the chiefs
to be early advised that that is not
his view of the case.

Perhaps he will take an early and
opportune moment to inform Hon. Mr.
Borden where he was in hiding during
those days when Mr. Borden's tele-
grams vainly sought to find his where-
abouts and negotiate his reward. The
dispatches from Ottawa would seem to
hint, as much, for they say "it is gen-
erally understood here that McBride
will yet enter the cabinet." It is true
the portfolio of mines is still unoccu-
pied, but that is not sufficiently ca-
pacious in itself to absorb the energy
and talent of the second man in the
Canadian Conservative party. We say
second only because, willy-nilly, Mr.
Borden occupies the first place.

It is scarcely possible to conceive it,
yet for the entertainment of imagina-
tion one could even suppose that Pre-
mier McBride would forget all about
the magnificent array of special claims
and other things with which he over-
loaded himself when leaving to present
his demands to Mr. Borden. The prime
minister may find it easier—even now—to
make a shuffle in the cabinet and
seat Mr. McBride than to grant some
of the specious requests which he is
expected to entertain.

What a cruel joke on the provincial
party—whose heads besought Mr. Mc-
Bride not to leave them to the tender
mercies of Mr. Bower—if the Premier
were to discover that the situation at
Ottawa is so critical that no one in all
Canada but he can save it. Stranger
things than this have happened, and we
have frequently believed things that
were harder to believe than this. When
one pauses to think of the din, the
noise and the beating of tom-toms, "so
unusual among real statesmen," it may
be possible. The Premier is elected to
one of two alternatives; either he will
work miracles at Ottawa for the pro-
vince or else he is nearly due for a
humiliating tumble. Only the bestowal
of a federal portfolio can save the
situation. Failing the B. C. premier-
ship Bower is still willing to take
either the federal portfolio of justice, or
that of finance.

TAXING AUTOMOBILES.

One of the questions which is at-
tracting the attention of the govern-
ment in Great Britain is the equitable
taxing of automobiles. The owner of
an autotaxi is not considered to have
discharged his duty to the state when
he has paid a small tax for a "num-
ber" that has the dual yet doubtful
value of registration and license. The
introduction of auto-vehicles and the
rapid extension of their use has
demonstrated that they are extremely
destructive to public highways, and
both in London and on the thorough-
fares the pavements and macadam
constructed for the traffic of slowly
moving vehicles have been found to
quickly disintegrate under the whirling
wheels of the autos. The cars of sixty
horse power are now taxed \$210 per
year and the veriest toy car is taxed
\$10, the other taxes ranging between
these figures. The new tax pleases
the farmers and the rural ratepayers
straitly, as the money from that source
of revenue is used for keeping in re-
pair the highways over which the cars
travel most steadily.

In our own province a very large
sum of money is being spent on the
construction of an automobile highway
from one end of the province to all
the other ends and to the most scat-
tered outside points. For this the
public coffers are raided, while the
older highways, even those near the
city of Victoria, are left in a condi-
tion no better, in some cases worse,
than they were twenty years ago. Not
even the fines for infractions of the
laws regulating speed go into the
funds for the repair of the roads. There
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Pacific Transfer Company. Phone 249, 50 Fort St. —S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty, 'phone Inspector Russell, No. 1921.

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—Have them in "Sepia"—your Xmas photographs—and of course, taken at the Skene-Lowe Studio, Corner Douglas and Yates streets. Do it now and half your Xmas worries will be over.

—Soft felt hats are scarce. Try the Elite, 1216 Douglas. You will find a full assortment there.

—McClary's famous stoves and ranges, Clarke & Pearson, 1313 Wharf, near Johnson.

—Weller Bros.' new catalogue will be completed in a few days. By sending your name and address, you can have one sent to you free.

—Great Prairie Crop—Geo. W. Cramer, of Victoria, has returned from a trip as far east as Winnipeg, and states that they have a great crop on the prairie this year.

—Moose to Box—The local order of Moose have opened a class for the purpose of instructing the young men in the art of self-defence. T. W. Phillips will instruct the young men between the ages of 17 and 21.

—Call for Dramatic Club—The second trial of the Dramatic Club cast of one of the plays selected for the production by the Victoria A. D. C. will take place at the "Bungalows," 541 Cook street, tomorrow evening at 8.15, and the first rehearsal will be held on Monday evening at 12.30 Stanley avenue.

—Tod Inlet Township—A townsite is expected to spring up at Tod Inlet, where the Vancouver Portland Cement Works are clearing a large tract of land. Several lots 60 by 120 have been placed on the market, and the location is considered exceptionally fine, being high and dry, with a good view of the Inlet and near the proposed car line.

—Authorized Land Surveyors—Messrs. T. W. Richardson, of Kamloops; Harold Price, of Vancouver; V. Schelders and Harold E. Wynn, of this city, and Charles T. Hamilton, of Vancouver, are the new members added to the corps of the British Columbia surveyors authorized to practice in this province during the coming year.

—Ketch Nancy Left—Messrs. Bucking, Ockrichner, Pusack and Corlack, all of the Empress, left yesterday on the Ketch Nancy in which they will cruise around the entire island. All the comforts for a two months' trip are aboard and plenty of ammunition and weapons to be used on the big game in the west and north of the island. The Nancy is fast and comfortable.

—Life for Clyde Guphill—After days of lingering between life and death the doctors now anticipate a recovery for Clyde Guphill, who was murderously beaten and robbed while at his post in the office of the Alaska Steamship Co., Skagway. Mr. Guphill is well known in this city where he used to reside, and the good word sent to his relatives was received with much pleasure by all who know him.

—Smoker for Major Winsby—Commanding Major Winsby, who is leaving for Kamloops tomorrow to take up his duties as inspector of schools, was the honored guest at the smoker and concert held by the No. 2 company of the Fifth Regiment, C. G. A., at the drill hall last evening. The entertainment was much enjoyed, and those taking part were: Will Lochrane, Staff-Sergeant; Fred Richardson, Gr. Wilcox, Gr. Roberts, Corp. Ray, Sergt. Dennison, Gr. Buss and Sergt. Morris. Lieut. Col. A. W. Currie spoke in behalf of the company on the good work done by the major.

FERRY SERVICE

Victoria-Vancouver.
Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria daily at 2.15 p. m., except Sunday, arriving at Vancouver at 6.45 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Victoria at 11.45 p. m. daily, arriving Vancouver at 7 a. m.
Prince George leaves Victoria on Thursdays at 10 a. m., and Prince Rupert on Mondays at 10 a. m.

Princess Adelaide leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 10 a. m., arriving Victoria at 2.30 p. m.; Princess Victoria leaves Vancouver at 1.15 p. m. daily, arriving Victoria at 6 p. m.

Victoria-Seattle.
Princess Adelaide leaves Victoria daily, except Sunday, at 4.30 p. m., arriving Seattle at 10 p. m.; Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 9 a. m., arriving at Victoria at 1.15 p. m. On the lay-over day the steamer Iroquois, of the Alaska-Puget Sound Navigation Co., fills the schedule.

Prince George leaves Victoria on Wednesdays at 10 a. m., and the Prince Rupert on Sundays at 10 a. m. Returning, leave Seattle Wednesdays and Sundays at midnight.

Vancouver-Seattle.
Princess Charlotte leaves Vancouver daily, except Sunday, at 11 p. m., arriving Seattle at 5 a. m.; Princess Adelaide leaves Seattle daily, except Monday, at 11.30 p. m., arriving at Vancouver at 9 a. m.

—Daddy wants baby's picture now. Special styles and special attention for the little ones at Foxall's studio, 823 Sayward Bldg. Phone 2105.

—Dispatch From Toronto—Bishop McDonald, of Victoria, is the talk of the successor to the Archbishop of Toronto, as are the Very Rev. Dean Hand, of Toronto, and the Very Rev. Dean Harris, of St. Catharines.

—Another Storey—An additional storey is to be added on the plan of the five-story model hotel building announced by Chalmers & Mitchell. Thomas Hooper has the plans and the extra storey is being provided for. Messrs. Luney Bros. are the contractors for the work.

—Dramatic Club to Meet—The club's hon. producer and stage director will make a statement on the proposed programme for the coming season at the meeting to be held on Monday next at the Rathbourn hotel. The meeting is called for 5 p. m.

—Ladies' Aid Society—The president of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Congregational church desires to ask those who are willing to help in the forthcoming bazaar to meet at her home, 147 Johnson street, at 8 o'clock. Donations of plain and fancy articles will be gratefully received.

—Alexandra Club To-night—The arrangements are complete for the ball to be held at the Alexandra Club this evening. Cars will be run special from the corner of Fort and Douglas street to all parts of the city at 1 a. m. and 3 a. m. The ball is in aid of the working fund of the Women's Auxiliary Society of the Provincial Jubilee hospital.

—Larger B. C. E. Cars—Larger cars have been placed on the Ross Bay and Foul Bay line to accommodate the increase in business necessitated by the growth of the Fairfield and Hollywood districts, and by the numerous workmen using the cars from the road work in the southern portion of the city. It is the intention when the orders from here are fulfilled at the Westminster car shops to replace all the older type of cars throughout the city.

—Guy Fawkes Day Banquet—The members of Loyal Orange Lodge No. 1510, hold their annual Guy Fawkes day banquet at the Songhees Grill on Wednesday next, November 8th. The members of all the local Orange lodges, the Black Preceptory, the Sons of England and Sons of St. George have signified their intention of being present. W. M. W. C. Thompson will preside and act as toast master. The chairman will call the roll at 8.30 p. m. Tickets can be secured at the Songhees Grill, or from any member of the order. A delegation from the Vancouver chapters of the Royal Black Knights will be present.

—Colwood Road Improvement—The provincial government will spend \$30,000 in putting in shape the Colwood road from the city boundary westward to the junction with the Goldstream road, the surface of which has been greatly disturbed by the operations in laying the new main line for the Esquimalt Waterworks Company, and which in consequence of its extensive use, particularly since railway construction has been in progress, is in need of more attention than any trunk thoroughfare out of Victoria. The road superintendent will put on an extra force of men, and the gangs will be kept busy during the winter months. Attention is also to be given to Admirals and Esquimalt roads.

TAX COMMISSION HERE NEXT WEEK

Provincial Committee Meets in Vancouver on 6th and at Chilliwack on 8th

The provincial tax commission consisting of Hon. Price Ellison, chairman, Hon. A. E. McPhillips, K. C. W. H. Malkin and C. H. Lugin, will sit at Victoria holding the final session in this city on Friday next November 10th. The session will be held in the executive room of the parliament buildings when those who have evidence to give will be called upon.

The commission is to hold two other sessions before the final one in Victoria. On Monday, November 5th, the members will assemble and take evidence at Chilliwack and two days later will hear evidence at Vancouver.

Victoria Lodge I. O. G. T. At the regular meeting of this lodge in the school of the Church of Our Lord, to-night at 8 o'clock, the quarterly election of officers and their initiation will take place.

Pemberton Memorial Chapel—The clergy of the Church of England will conduct the services at the Royal Jubilee hospital for the month of November. Next Sunday, November 5th, there will be "evensong" and sermon at 3 p. m.

Chinese Mission—The services in connection with the opening of the Methodist Chinese Mission, on Fisgard street, will be held on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, November 12, 13 and 14. Watch the church news for further announcements.

Measuring Bowl—Will measure from 1/2 pint to 4 1/2 pints. Made of nice white enamel. Has a lip to pour from. Diameter 8 inches, depth 4 1/2 inches. Price 50c, and well worth it. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas street.

New Commissioners—F. H. H. Crook of Victoria, has been appointed commissioner for taking affidavits in the Supreme court under the Provincial Elections Act, until December 31st. W. G. McAllister is similarly appointed in the Alberta district.

Building Activity—Building permits were issued yesterday by the city, and inspector to Mrs. M. A. Shroeder for a dwelling to be erected on Cambridge street, to cost \$2,500; to E. E. Leason, additions to dwelling on Chamberlain street, \$800; to M. Q. R. Todd, additions to dwelling on Fernwood road, \$450.

New J. P.'s Appointed—Additional justices of the peace for the district westward of Yellowhead Pass, along the line of G. T. P. construction, have been appointed. They are Alexander J. McLaren, George Ross MacKenzie, Thomas Jones Sugars and J. H. McCormick. The new justices are all officials in the firm of Foley, Welch & Stewart, the railway contractors.

Distinguished Divine—The secretary of the Dominion Purify Association, Rev. Dr. Eby, of Toronto, who spent 20 years as a missionary in Japan, will speak on Sunday at the following places on social purity: Morning, at Emmanuel Baptist church; afternoon, at 4 o'clock at the Crystal theatre; evening, at the Centennial Methodist church; and at 9 o'clock at the Y.M.C.A.

Revenue From Timber—The provincial returns for timber licenses during the month of October aggregated \$145,322.80, made up as follows: Four hundred and forty-nine timber licenses issued for lands west of the Cascades, \$67,339; four hundred and twenty-four licenses for lands east of the Cascades, \$52,548; timber license transfer fees, \$255; penalties, \$1,150; one hundred and ninety-five coal prospecting licenses, \$19,559; coal prospecting license transfer fees, \$10,000; and miscellaneous, \$2,289.

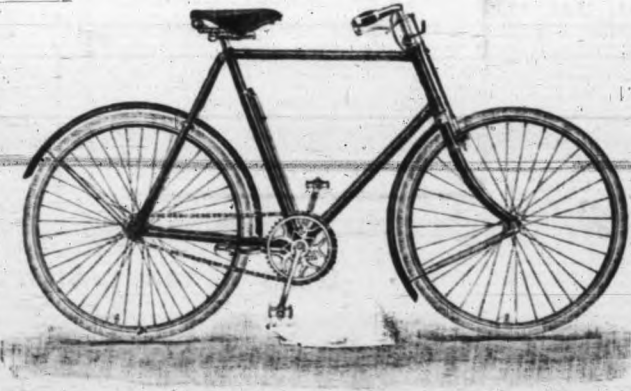
New Companies—During the week just past there have been added to the register of British Columbia joint stock companies, the Acadia Trust Co., Ltd.; Acme Lumber Co., Ltd.; Bazar Bay Brick & Tile Co., Ltd.; Great West Carriage Co., Ltd.; J. Hanbury & Co., Ltd.; Lytton Water Supply Co., Ltd.; Metropolitan Hospital, and the Trail Curling Association, Ltd. The extra-provincial companies registered or licensed, are the Cummings Grain Co., Ltd.; "Blair" Machinery Co.; Capman Manufacturing Co.; Federal Lumber Co.; and Tenbo Stone Co., Inc.

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LIBRARY BY-LAW IS NOT REGULAR

Necessity for Amendment Before Submission—Minimum Wage for City Laborers

After a number of delays it seems likely that the four by-laws which require the approval of the ratepayers will at length be presented at the polling booth, as a motion will be moved at the city council this evening to re-advertise, and submit them on November 17, two weeks from today. They were first set for yesterday, and then postponed till Wednesday next when it was discovered that the Dallas Road Seawall appropriation was almost expended, and that therefore it would be necessary to ask for a further sum for completing the work which would be jeopardised by delay, and in order to permit the necessary ten days advertising the date was accordingly set back.

Since then the informality about the proceedings of Friday last has thrown the arrangements for the poll out of gear, and it has been discovered that the Library by-law, which asks for a maximum appropriation of \$15,000 a year, must be re-submitted in the same form as it was originally put, therefore it will be necessary to pass the by-law through the council again with the original figures substituted, namely \$25,000. This action is essential by law, which lays it down that a by-law once adopted and re-submitted during the same municipal year must appear in the identical form as formerly drafted.

Alderman Langley has given notice of a motion to move for all papers dealing with the by-law, and an endeavor will be made to trace the responsibility to its source for this error, which further delays an important improvement.

To arrive at the financial situation of the council Alderman Moresby has given notice to move at the meeting to-night for a return of the following information: The amount of overdraft at the bank at the end of each month for the past twelve months; the rate of interest and total interest charged for the past twelve months; the amount at the credit of interest and sinking fund at the bank at the end of each month for the past twelve months; the rate of interest allowed on same for the past twelve months.

The information will show in detail the financial situation of the city, and present the position arising from the large contracts which have been let under the local improvement plan. On the return of Premier McBride and Attorney General Bowser from the east, the conference with the representatives of the city over the matters in dispute with the Victoria Terminal Railway and Ferry Company will be held.

A court of revision on the household and license holders list will be held at an early date. Alderman Gleason moving to that effect. Alderman W. F. Fullerton has given notice of the following resolution: That whereas the city council at its meeting on Oct. 10th adopted a resolution referring the proposed increase of the minimum rate of wages for city laborers from \$2.75 to \$3.00 per day, to the finance committee for report; and whereas the finance committee has not yet reported. Therefore be it resolved that the minimum rate of wages per day for city laborers be \$3.00 to take effect from Nov. 6, 1911.

Among the local improvement works which will come up for consideration will be the following: The paving with asphalt of Stanley avenue from Pandora avenue to Pembroke street, and the construction of permanent sidewalks; paving with asphalt Sylvia street from Boyd avenue westward; and construction of permanent sidewalks; paving with asphalt, Griffiths street, Victoria West.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 2-5 a. m.—Since yesterday a low barometer area spread inland across Northern British Columbia and showers have occurred on Vancouver Island and the Lower Mainland. The weather is fine with moderate winds from the southward to California. The weather is milder in the prairie provinces.

For 26 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday: Victoria and vicinity—Fresh southerly and westerly winds, generally fair and colder at night.

Lower Mainland—Gradually clearing and colder at night.

Reports at 5 a. m.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 58; minimum, 47; wind, 8 miles S.; rain, .8; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .4; weather, cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 22; minimum, 28; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, 54; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

Edmonton—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, 24; minimum, 24; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, 18; minimum, 18; wind, 20 miles S.; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Thursday:

Temperature.

Highest 58
Lowest 42
Average 46

Rain, trace.
General state of weather, cloudy.

BOULEVARDING BRISK.

Four Gangs Will be Put On to Rush Completion.

With the completion of the fall of the leaves, it will be possible to do the planting out on the boulevards of the trees prepared in the nursery at Beacon Hill Park, and the park superintendent is putting on four gangs as from to-day to help in the boulevard

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work, which is now very brisk with the finishing up of the streets where the paving contracts have been completed. The evergreens will be planted first, and these will be followed by a selection from the deciduous trees suitable for early planting. Mr. Purdy, who has been delayed by a number of causes, hopes to go ahead from the present. In order that the section of the local improvement works which by the nature of circumstances must be reached last, may be done in time for the city legal department to wind up the several works done under various local improvement by-laws.

The gangs consist of about twenty men each, and while there have been departmental difficulties of which the property owners can know nothing which have caused unnecessary delays, the intention is now to rush the work in accordance with the city council's expressed wish.

CYCLING ACCIDENT.

Strawberry Vale Postmaster Collides With Obstruction and Is Heavily Thrown.

An unfortunate accident overtook Mr. Fisher, postmaster at Strawberry Vale, last night while cycling home from town. When approaching Francis street, on Burnside road, his wheel connected suddenly with an obstruction which was not illuminated, and the shock of the collision threw him heavily and rendered him unconscious. As no one observed the accident he lay there on the roadway for about two hours before he was picked up and conveyed to the residence of Dr. Houghton. Later on he was taken home in an automobile. On recovering sufficiently to speak Mr. Fisher declared that the obstruction which caused the mishap was not lighted. He also declared that he was riding at a moderate pace.

FRATERNAL VISIT.

Worshipful Master J. W. Thomas, of St. John's lodge, No. 9, A. F. & A. M., of Seattle, and officers of the lodge, together with a number of the brothers of that city, will pay a fraternal visit to Victoria-Columbia, No. 1, to-morrow evening, when they will exemplify the work as done in the state of Washington. They will arrive by the steamer about one o'clock on Saturday afternoon. This visit is creating a keen interest not only among members of Victoria-Columbia lodge, but

Masons generally in Victoria. It will be remembered that Victoria-Columbia lodge paid a visit to St. John's lodge on Labor Day, and this is a return compliment by the members of that lodge.

CHICAGO BOOSTS VICTORIA.

Thomas Francis Lynch, editor of the Belleville Club News, a weekly journal published at Chicago, is preparing to lecture to Victorians on Victoria, Vancouver Island and British Columbia. He has written to the city clerk for information and for lantern slides with which to illustrate his lecture. City Clerk Dowler has handed the letter over to the Vancouver Island Development League, and Secretary E. McElaffey is communicating with Editor Lynch, sending him literature and slides. Mr. Lynch is also forming a Canadian Club in Chicago.

W. C. T. U. Concert—The choir of the Esquimalt Methodist church, assisted by some of the crew of the Rainbow, will give a concert at the Men's Mission, Store street, on Saturday night.

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SWEDISH PEOPLES'
ADVANCE IN SPORT

Much Interest Shown in Olympic Games—Marathon Wonder Being Developed

New York, Nov. 1.—The latest piece of original news from the seat of the next Olympic games is that the Swedish people have unearthed an out and out wonder for the Marathon race, not to talk of what they will show in other events. This long-distance phenomenon never tried a salt quicker than a walk till he was 30 years of age, and then he began to test himself in a most peculiar way. He fixed a little track inside of a large barn and began cantering round and round until he could go no further. As soon as he found that he could maintain a fair jog for a period of about three hours he took to the open, and immediately surprised the natives with what he could do in the way of endurance. The man's name is Jacobson, and he is already booked for the big classic.

The team of the London A. C., which has been touring Sweden for the last couple of months, returned home a little more than a week or so ago, and they tell many curious stories about the Swedish people and their progress in track and field sport.

The man with the most to say was S. S. Abrahams, the Cambridge university broad jumper of a few years ago. For an old-timer he did splendidly and won his event everywhere he went. At one of the meets he cleared 22 feet 6 inches, and this is only half an inch short of the Swedish record made a couple of years ago by K. Stenborg.

The Englishmen think Hjerberg a great trainer, and Hjerberg himself told the Brits that he had trained world's champions in every event. In America he had brought out such wonders as Sweeney, Connell, Sheridan, McGrath, Flanagan, Maxey, Long, Smithson, Dan Kelly and others of a minor grade.

According to the Englishmen it was Hjerberg who found Ralph Rose out among the wilds of Pomona county, California, and after the trainer brought the giant into civilization taught him all about running the shot. Abrahams has the following to say about the Swedish people and their chances in the next Olympic games:

"Athletics are going ahead rapidly in

Sweden and the wisdom of engaging Hjerberg to look after their athletes cannot be questioned. He has thrown the whole of his energies into the task and has worked wonders especially with the field event men. Wherever we went we found high jumpers who could get well on towards six feet, weight putters who could do 40 feet, and as for the discus and javelin, we were right out of it. And some of the athletes who beat our best men were school boys. When I tied the Swedish long jump record the second man, who pressed me closely, was only 18 years old and he beat 22 feet. In another year under Hjerberg's training what will he do? Take the pole jump. I was told they had 20 feet to beat. That seems a tall order, but I myself have seen half a dozen who can go close to 12 feet. And it was a revelation to see three men beat 45 feet in the hop, step and jump, knowing that this particular contest was but a sample of many others.

"Field events are undoubtedly Hjerberg's strong point, but he told me, and was able to prove his words, too, that he had trained world's champions for every event except the javelin throw, and he is not devoid of hope for that. He directs the running men just as carefully as the jumpers, teaching them whatever there is to learn in the matters of judgment of pace, getting off the mark and adapting their stride to the conditions of the particular event they are engaged in. I don't think that he will do much with the sprinters. The Swedish people seem to lack that devil which makes a sprinter. They may get away well and run right through, but they lack that dash at the finish which makes the champion. But Hjerberg will not rest till he has taught them their fault.

"More middle distance men are likely to be found there now that handicaps have been instituted. The Swedes last year had all scratch races and no handicaps. The result was that a man like E. Wilde, who could do about 1:55, had nobody to make him beat two minutes, no incentive to improve, but now they are having a few handicaps with a view to making their champions do something more than stroll over the first prize.

"Sweden has already picked men for next year's games; not the whole team, you understand, but those who have already shown form that warrants selection and they will have the advantage of coaching and training all through the winter. They will form the nucleus of the team, and it will be completed by the addition of any men who show good form in the early part of next season. You may be sure it will be a good team—the Swedes are nothing if not thorough—and trained to the hour, so you know what I have to compete against, and I hope our people will wake up."

STORMS WILL BREAK
WHEN MINORS MEETCal. Ewing Looks for Trouble
at Meeting at San Antonio

San Francisco, Nov. 3.—Bombs and fireworks will feature the meeting of the minor league baseball magnates of the United States and Canada when they meet or clash in their annual session at San Antonio, Texas, November 15. This prediction is made by J. Cal Ewing, the father of the Pacific Coast League. Ewing is brim full of plans for the future and ideas for the betterment of the minors.

Ewing is one of the real live, hustling insurgents in the game. He is one of those who firmly believes that the minor clubs should have more sway, more to say in the government of their own affairs and more leeway on the signing-up and transferring of their players. He is going to make a battle on these three points when the big meeting is called to order, and the fans may look forward to plenty of action at the appointed time.

"The magnates of the east look upon the Pacific Coast League as a great power in minor league baseball," says Ewing. "We have been forging ahead rapidly during the last four years and the result is that we have opened their eyes. We have always fought for our rights and now they have come to that stage where they simply have to recognize us."

"We have several fights on our hands and we are out to win. The magnates of the coast league will stand together, and the chances are that I will be the spokesman. I am a baseball insurgent all the time and I will open my busy campaign without much preliminary stalling. I am not at liberty to outline my plan of battle at present, but the fans of the coast may rest assured that I will fight for their rights."

Accompanying Ewing on his trip will be Judge W. L. McCredie, owner of the Portland club, and Henry Berry, owner of the Los Angeles club. Both are thoroughly in accord with everything that Ewing has said and done and both will use all their influence to see that he is backed up at the coming session in San Antonio.

OUT WITH A CHALLENGE

Frank Delaney, Bantamweight, Willing to Fight Anyone Anywhere in Canada.

Frank Delaney, the hard-hitting little American bantamweight, now in Vancouver, is out with a challenge to

all Canadian boxers, the weight to be from 116 to 122 pounds. Delaney has fought in 25 battles, winning most of them by the knock-out route and losing only one on a decision. Delaney will box anywhere in Canada, before the club offering the best inducements. Anyone wanting to get a match with Delaney can do so by writing his manager, William Ford, general delivery, Vancouver.

TOUR WILL CONCLUDE
CHAMPION'S CAREERGotch Says He Will Retire—
Wrestling in Seattle To-night Against Leon

Frank Gotch, the world's champion wrestler, will wrestle in Seattle this evening at the Broadland Pavilion, his opponent being Jack Leon, a Russian giant. Gotch, the Turk, who is believed to be a possible successor to Gotch, and who is travelling with him, will also be seen in action against Charlie Olson, the "Terrible Swede."

No one expects Leon to throw Gotch, but he can travel fast enough to make the champion speed up he will be doing as much as is looked for.

On Monday evening Gotch and Mahmut will appear in Vancouver, the champion taking on Chet McIntyre, and the latter Donald McDonald, a Scottish-American heavyweight. Gotch has contracted to throw McIntyre three times in an hour, and the fans in the Terminal City are confidently picturing in their imaginations his failure.

ANOTHER LACROSSE LEAGUE

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—The Capital, Cornwall, Shamrock and Montreal teams, fearing a freeze-out by the National Lacrosse Union, are taking time by the forelock and have arranged to meet early next week for the purpose of making plans for a league of their own. It is proposed to admit the Ottawa Nationals, a wealthy French-Canadian organization, and also to place a team in Quebec, making it a six-club league, with two teams at Montreal, two in Ottawa, Quebec and Cornwall. The Capitals' officers do not think that the threatened explosion of the N.L.U. will materialize, but do not intend to be left out in the cold.

WILL ISLAND CLUBS
ACCEPT PROPOSAL

Conference of Nanaimo, Cumberland and Victoria Delegates—No Game Saturday

Whether the Island professional football clubs will quietly agree to the withdrawal of the Vancouver club and fall in with the proposal that they go ahead with their scheduled games and allow Vancouver to come in later on or not will be known after a conference of the three clubs. At a meeting of the local club held last evening Dave Douglas was appointed a delegate to represent Victoria at a meeting to be held in Nanaimo on Sunday.

There is no professional football game here to-morrow, the notice being too short for Nanaimo to make arrangements to come down. A wire received from Vancouver yesterday stated that the Vancouver club had definitely decided not to play until the new year so that the scheduled game is out of the question.

Vancouver's action in withdrawing until January has caused much comment and aroused great discontent in local football circles. The fans saw an A1 game on Monday and are anxious for more of the same; but if the tangle existing now is not suddenly straightened out they foresee the possibility of the league going to smash. However, the local club intends to stick with it as long as there is a team to play.

Undoubtedly the reason for the Terminal City club taking the stand it does is the fact that it is not in a position just now to get together eleven players of sufficient ability to cope with the teams on the island. With the beginning of 1912, though, the amateur series in Vancouver will have been concluded and the Hillhurst team, now touring the old country, and on which there are one or two Vancouver men at least, will have returned and the mainlanders will acquire sufficient strength to have a chance of lifting the championship.

GIRLS' HOCKEY

George Jay and High School Play at Cricket Grounds To-morrow Morning.

The George Jay and High school junior girls' hockey teams play a game on the Victoria Cricket Club's grounds on Saturday morning, commencing at 10:30. This is the second game in the junior girls' league, the first being played two weeks ago between St. Anne's and High school, the latter winning 4-1. There was to have been a game last Saturday, but it was postponed.

FIVE PIN TOURNNEY
IS NOW UNDER WAYNow Playing for Morena Trophy—
Last Evening's Match—
League Standings

The five pin tournament for the Morena Clear Co. trophy is now on at the Arcade bowling alleys. The bowler securing the best average in ten games in the next two months wins the cup.

The Miners and Strikers played a match last evening in which some very good scores were made. Barton, of the Strikers, getting high with 222. The results follow:

| Miners | 1 | 2 | 3 | Tot. |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Nichols | 145 | 143 | 189 | 477 |
| Ritter | 112 | 173 | 183 | 468 |
| Greenhill | 140 | 144 | 140 | 424 |
| Picking | 130 | 148 | 121 | 399 |
| Totals | 692 | 760 | 842 | 2294 |

Strikers

| Strikers | 1 | 2 | 3 | Tot. |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Barton | 206 | 139 | 222 | 567 |
| Archibald | 188 | 96 | 143 | 427 |
| J. Hustable | 117 | 138 | 146 | 401 |
| Child | 175 | 135 | 148 | 458 |
| Butts | 130 | 130 | 130 | 390 |
| Totals | 816 | 639 | 789 | 2244 |

The standing of the teams in the two leagues follow:

| House League | W. | L. | Pts. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Eagles | 7 | 2 | 14 |
| Crows | 6 | 3 | 12 |
| Hawks | 5 | 4 | 10 |
| Gulls | 5 | 4 | 10 |
| Owls | 3 | 6 | 6 |
| Parrots | 1 | 8 | 2 |

| Commercial League | W. | L. | Pts. |
|-------------------|----|----|------|
| Moose | 5 | 1 | 10 |
| Miners | 4 | 4 | 8 |
| Strikers | 2 | 4 | 4 |
| Printers | 1 | 2 | 2 |

THREW DOWN BENEFACTOR

Boston, Mass., Nov. 3.—J. Pierpont Morgan, whose gifts, totalling \$1,085,000 made possible the present Harvard medical school, has had his application for two football tickets to the Harvard-Yale game rejected because he failed to agree to a technical requirement. Mr. Morgan wrote, enclosing \$4 in payment and stated that in all probability he would not use the tickets personally. As every applicant for a ticket is required to promise to use one of the tickets personally before his application is filed, Mr. Morgan's money was promptly returned.

Mr. Morgan, who received his academic training at the University of Göttingen, has had no connection with Harvard except in the character of a donor, but an honorary degree from Yale entitles him to graduate privileges.

C. C. Wade, of the Empress hotel staff, has joined the Oak Bay football club, which is making a fight for the premier honors in the city second league.

WELLS-WOLGAST FIGHT OFF

Englishman Does Not Want Any of
Champion's Game, Says Tom Jones.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 3.—Light-weight Champion Ad Wolgast and Matt Wells, of England, are not likely to engage in a boxing contest, according to a message received here from Tom Jones, Wolgast's manager. Jones says: "After much wrangling and a trip to New York, I am convinced that Wells does not want any of Wolgast's game. I conceded every point to him and accepted the terms of two clubs in New York, but they could not induce Wells to listen to any proposition. We will pay no more attention to him, but will be ready to meet Paeky McFarland or anyone the public may select after the Welsh bout in California. We leave Cadillac to-day for Los Angeles and after the bout, if we win there, will meet all contenders."

WOULD NOT TOLERATE
CHAMPION'S TOE HOLDAsbell Put Up Game Fight
Against Gotch at Tacoma
Last Evening

Tacoma, Nov. 3.—Although James Asbell put up a game fight, he was entirely outclassed by Frank Gotch, the world's champion wrestler, in their meeting last night. More than 1,000 persons, many of them women, saw the contest, but there was one thing that the audience proved it would not tolerate, even from Gotch. This was the toe hold. Twice during his match with Asbell Gotch got this grip upon the Kansas City man. Each time the champion was greeted with a storm of hisses. Seeing that he would be able to dispose of Asbell without the use of this hold, Gotch released the foot hold and two falls were obtained by other holds.

The match was one of the fastest that the Tacoma public has ever seen between heavyweights. Both men assumed an aggressive tactics, Asbell wishing to show that he was trying to throw Gotch, it did not take long, however, for the champion to show his superiority. Asbell came near forcing Gotch to the mat, but the superior strength of the Iowa saved him.

After 15 minutes of most nerve-racking wrestling, Gotch pinned his opponent's shoulders with a heel and bar hold. After a short three-minute rest, the wrestling went for each other again, and Asbell, far from being discouraged, fought back gamely, forcing Gotch to demonstrate many of the tricks of the game. After seven minutes of severe wrestling, however, the bulk of the champion began to tell on Asbell, and Gotch's schemes hold on Asbell's head again forced him to the mat on his shoulders for the second fall.

(Additional Sport on page 3)

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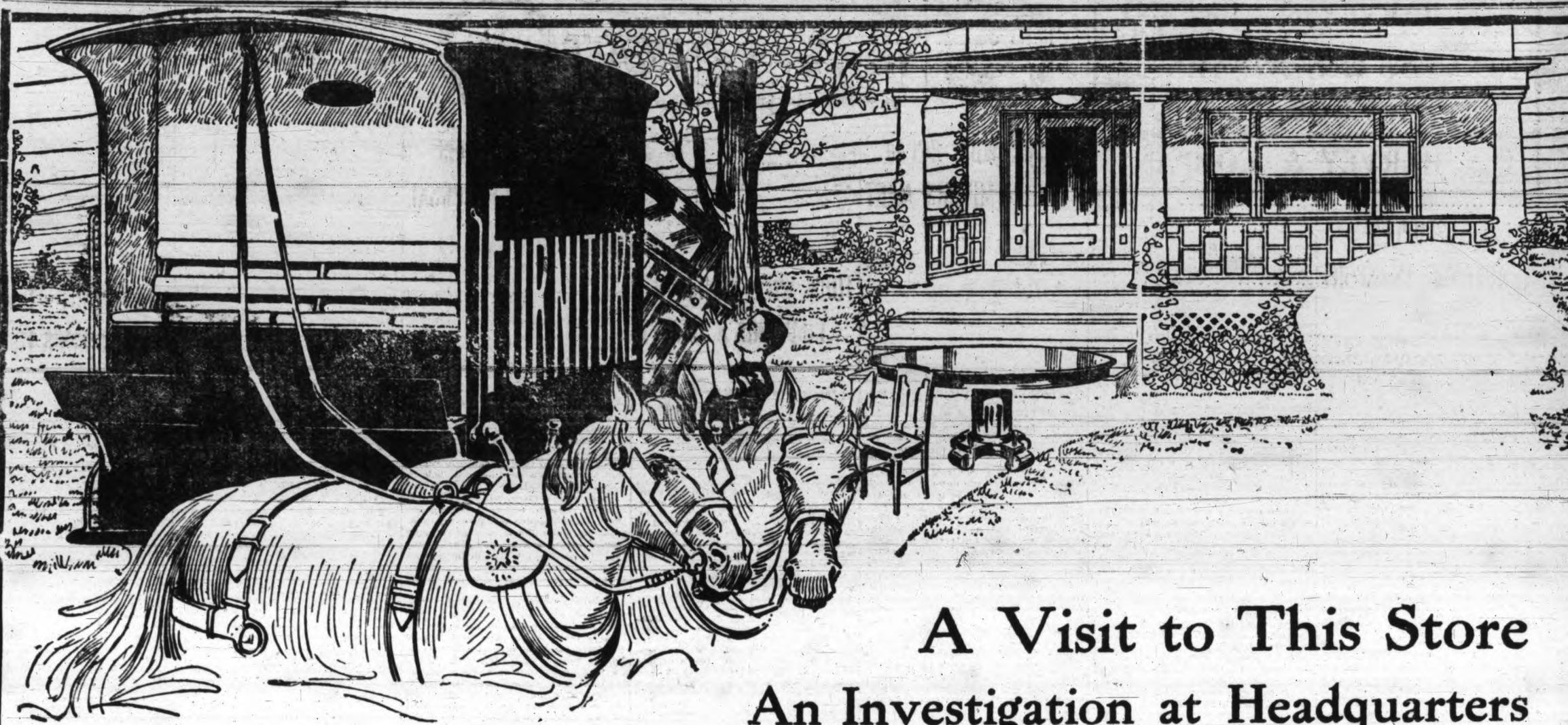
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| 9 ft. x 10 ft. | \$40.00 |
| 9 ft. x 12 ft. | \$45.00 |
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RINGBANK PASSES ON WAY TO SOUND

British Barque Not Coming to
Royal Roads—Orders to
Proceed to Seattle

After a passage of 53 days from
Rosalia, the British barque
Ringbank was reported passing in at
posh at 10 o'clock this morning. A
boat had a line aboard the sailing
rig picked her up at the entrance
of the Straits early this morning,
and taking her to Seattle, where she will
load a cargo of grain for the United
States.

to the Royal Roads, but since that time
a charter has been obtained for her,
and the tug is to take her to the Sound
without stopping here. She will com-
mence loading wheat immediately, and
will get away on her long journey to
England about the middle of next
month. The Ringbank is owned by
Andrew Weir, and is a similar ship to
the Olivebank, now at Seattle under-
going repairs.

A few days ago an announcement
was made to the effect that the Olive-
bank had received a charter to carry
wheat to the United Kingdom. Owing
to the extensive repairs which she is
undergoing, the Olivebank will not get
away from the Sound before the
Springbank. As the Springbank passed
in at Tatosh all her yards and masts
were standing, and it is evident that
she did not suffer much in the great
storm which swept the coast a few
weeks ago, wrecking many vessels and
disabling others.

The air breathed daily by a person
weighs thirty-four pounds—about six times
as much as the food and drink consumed
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ARE READY TO START TO INSTALL BURNERS

Prince George to Move to Es-
quimalt To-morrow—Prin-
cess May Sailing for North

To undergo the extensive alterations
which are contained in the contract
awarded recently by the Grand Trunk
Pacific S. S. Co. to Bullens, the steam-
er Prince George (Capt. Frank Sander-
s), will leave the Inner Docks to-
morrow morning for Esquimalt, where
she will remain for about six weeks.
Upon the return of the vessel from
Seattle yesterday morning a part of
the crew was paid off.

It is stated that the repairs and
alterations to be made to the George
will cost in the neighborhood of \$50,000.
The outfitting of the steamer with
oil burners will require consid-
erable time, as special tanks have
to be constructed in her hold for the
stowing of the fuel. Extensive im-
provements have been planned for
the interior of the vessel, which will
tend to provide additional comfort for
the passengers. It is understood that
more than the staterooms will be
converted into suites. When the
George was laid up last winter several
suites were arranged about the ship,
and during the past summer they
proved exceedingly popular, especially
with people who travelled with their
families.

Carrying a large number of pas-
sengers and a full cargo of general
freight, the C. P. R. steamer Princess
May (Capt. McLeod), is clearing from
this port to-night for Prince Rupert
and Skagway. The May is making
the first trip in her winter schedule,
which calls for but two passages a
month. She is to leave Victoria on
the first and third Friday of each
month. Passenger travel to the north
has dropped so materially that the C.
P. R. has withdrawn the Princess
Royal for the winter. The G. T. P.
will have but one vessel running to
Rupert and the C. P. R. but one to
Skagway until the rush commences
next spring, when each company will
operate two steamers.

WIRELESS REPORTS

November 3, 8 a. m.
Point Grey—Clear; wind S. E.;
thick seaward; 30.18; 48; sea smooth.
Cape Lazo—Overcast; calm; thick
seaward; wind S. E.; 30.21; 45; sea
smooth.

Tatosh—Cloudy; wind W. 16 miles;
30.26; 50; sea moderate. Outside,
bound in, barque Springbank, towing,
and barque S. C. Allen.

Pachena—Cloudy; calm; 30.05; 50;
sea smooth.
Estevan—Overcast; raining; wind
N. W., fresh; 29.90; 49; sea moderate.
Spoko, Bellerophon at 8.30 p. m., 210
miles from Estevan, Mexico Maru at
11.30 p. m., 1,200 miles from Estevan,
11.20 p. m., Tamba Maru relayed by
Mexico Maru lat. 50.22 north, long.
170.05 west.

Triangle—Foggy; raining; wind S.
W., 27 miles; 29.50; 40; dense sea-
ward.

Ikedda—Cloudy; wind S. W.; 30.10;
46; light swell.
Prince Rupert—Raining; calm;
30.07; 47; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Clear; wind west;
sea smooth.

Noon.
Point Grey—Overcast; wind N. W.;
light; 30.17; 54; thick seaward.

Cape Lazo—Overcast; calm; 30.19;
53; sea smooth.

Tatosh—Misty; wind W. 14 miles;
30.28; 51; sea moderate. In barque S.
C. Allen at 8 a. m., barque Springbank
at 10 a. m.

Pachena—Cloudy; wind N. W.,
fresh; 30.00; 51; sea moderate.

Estevan—Cloudy; wind N. W.,
fresh; 29.85; 50; sea moderate.

Triangle—Overcast; wind S. W., 35
miles; 29.64; 45; sea moderate.

Ikedda—Clear; wind S. W.; 30.13;
52; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert—Cloudy; wind N.,
light; 30.12; 52; sea smooth. Out,
Prince Rupert, at 8.25 a. m., south-
bound, in, Princess Mary, at 11.20
a. m.; Prince John at 11.35 a. m.

Dead Tree Point—Passing showers;
wind S. E.; sea smooth.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Nov. 2.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Buckman,
Tacoma; Meteor, San Francisco; Hil-
lison, Tacoma. Sailed: Columbian,
Salina Cruz; Santa Ana, southeastern
Alaska; Jefferson, Skagway.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Arrived: Sap Ga-
briel, Umpqua River; Rainier, Wallapa
Harbor; Doris, Gray's Harbor. Sailed:
Governor, Seattle; Shoshone, Portland;
Casco, Albion; San Jacinto, Gray's
Harbor; Dauntless, Gray's Harbor.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Cyclops,
Liverpool; Sado Maru, Seattle; Hecia,
Bellingham.

Newport News, Va.—Sailed: Har-
lington, Puget Sound.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Thor,
Nanaimo; Nippon Maru, Hongkong.
Sailed: Brooklyn, Bandon; Beaver,
Nehalem, Portland.

Pisagua.—Sailed: Croynod, San
Francisco.

Liverpool.—Sailed: Magician, Van-
couver.

Yokohama.—Arrived: Orteric, Port-
land, Ore.

Singapore.—Arrived (previously):
Ningchow, Liverpool for Vancouver.

According to the annual balance-sheet
of the Bencathra Foxhounds, the famous
Cumberland footpack of which the Speak-
er of the House of Commons is master,
fifteen couples of hounds, in charge of a
hunter and whip, last season hunted
three days a week in the wild mountain-
ous district extending from Bassenthwaite
lake to Thirlmere lake, and killed sixty
foxes at an expenditure of £105. Over 100
subscribers, mostly dalesmen, contributed
£148, the income being slightly below the
expenditure, but the hunt has still a bal-
ance in hand of £28.

SEASON BEST KNOWN IN SALMON INDUSTRY

Packers Give Out Figures—
Three-Quarter of Million
Larger Than Last Year

Following the closing down of all the
canneries on the coast, the packers
have compiled figures of the season's
pack, which shows that the present has
been the best year the canned salmon
industry has ever known. The pack is
nearly three-quarters of a million cases
larger than ever put up in any previ-
ous year. The prices have been the
highest; more men and capital have
been employed; a greater number of
canneries have been operated; there
has been a sufficient amount of rain
from the world to absorb practically
all the record big pack, and there
have been no losses of either salmon
or canneries, as has often been the case
in other years.

The total pack of canned salmon this
year for Alaska, British Columbia,
Puget Sound, Grays Harbor and the
Columbia river is estimated at 5,350,000
cases, this pack being 600,000 cases
more than in any previous year in the
history of the salmon canneries. The
packers estimate the Alaska pack at
3,000,000 cases; Puget Sound, 1,350,000
cases; Columbia river, 500,000 cases;
British Columbia, 750,000 cases; outside
points, 250,000 cases.

One of the features, in fact the domi-
nant feature of the season's opera-
tions, has been the huge pack of pink
salmon. The pack of pink this year
is estimated at 2,500,000 cases, com-
pared with 1,400,000 cases, the largest
previous pack of this kind of fish.

All but between 150,000 and 200,000
cases of this large amount of pink or
cheap fish has been sold. Inasmuch as
next year the run of pink salmon
should be large, packers who have this
kind of salmon are not worrying about
having to carry a small stock over.

THOUSANDS GOING SOUTH TO WINTER

Pacific Coast Steamships Full
Up With Passengers—City
of Puebla Arrives

It is difficult at present and will be
for several months yet to secure a
berth aboard any of the steamships
bound south from Victoria and Sound
ports for San Francisco. The great
annual exodus of people from the
northern cities, who prefer to winter
in southern climes, has commenced
and during the next couple of months,
thousands of passengers will be carried
to Californian cities by the steamships
operated by the Pacific Coast Steam-
ship Company.

Strains morning, the President left
Seattle with every stateroom full and
many people had to be refused trans-
portation on her. It is necessary to
make reservations a considerable time
in advance of the time persons wish
to leave for Frisco. The smaller ves-
sels leaving this port are laboring un-
der similar circumstances.

Monday morning the Umattila left port
with a full passenger list and numer-
ous persons were unable to secure
tickets on her.

As a result of the heavy travel
south very few passengers are being
brought north. Last night the City
of Puebla (Capt. Hannah), arrived at
the Outer Docks and had on board
six passengers for Victoria and Seattle.
The steamships are still carrying full
cargoes of freight both north and
south. The Puebla discharged here
last night over two hundred tons of
general merchandise, including large
shipments of fruits and vegetables.

The passengers who disembarked
here from the Puebla were as follows:
J. E. Armstrong and wife, L. J. Arm-
strong, Edith A. Armstrong, Ruth
Briggs, Violetta Clark, Dr. H. K. Hope,
wife and child, Robert Hope, H. H.
Mace and wife, Mrs. J. D. Ross and
child and Eva P. York.

LAUNCH LINERS IN SPRING

Three New Steamships for Kosmos to
Cost Approximately \$1,350,000.

Seattle, Nov. 3.—Announcement was
made to-day by officials of the Kosmos
Line that with the opening of the
Panama canal their three new steam-
ers nearing completion at Hamburg
between Seattle and European ports.

The vessels are being constructed
by the shipbuilding firm of Bloom &
Bremen, who have built some of the
largest German liners now plying the
Atlantic.

The steamers will cost approximately
\$1,350,000 and will be capable of
maintaining a speed of thirteen knots
an hour. They will have a cargo ca-
pacity of 12,000 deadweight tons.

The vessels will be launched in the
early spring and will be in service
between Seattle and Hamburg and
other ports in Europe the coming sum-
mer.

LABELS SCHOONER FOR \$5,000.

Tacoma, Nov. 3.—The steam schooner
J. B. Stetson, now at Aberdeen, was
labeled Wednesday for \$5,000, by Cal.
Anderson, who filed suit in the federal
court in this city. Anderson alleges
that September 17, 1911, while he was
helping load lumber on the vessel,
through the incompetency of a man
handling the winch, a load of lumber
struck him, wrenching his back and
incapacitating him from work. The
vessel was libelled by a deputy United
States marshal and released upon the
filing of a bond to cover the damage
and costs.

POISON SERVED TO GUESTS FOR WINE

Captain of French Barque
Pours Carbolic Acid in Mis-
take—One Dies

Pouring carbolic acid into stained
glasses and drinking it for port wine
by mistake caused the death of one
man and the serious illness of five
others aboard the French barque Bou-
gainville, October 13 at London, where
the vessel was discharging a portion
of the grain cargo she took from Port-
land, Ore. Mail advices to local ship-
pers received yesterday told of the
tragedy.

With a cargo of wheat shipped by
Balfour, Guthrie & Co., the Bougain-
ville, Captain Durand, sailed from
Portland for Limerick and London
April 1. She arrived at the Irish port
August 25, discharging about half her
cargo, when she cleared for the big
English metropolis. Soon after she put
in an appearance there stevedores and
agents went aboard to make arrange-
ments for discharging her cargo.

After the business matters demand-
ing attention had been disposed of,
Captain Durand invited the men into
his cabin to take a small nip of wine
with him. Among his guests was the
skipper of the Andre Theodore, an-
other vessel well known here and
which happened to be lying at the
same berth.

The account of the affair sent here
states that Captain Durand took a
bottle which he supposed was filled
with port wine and poured out a drink
for each of his guests. Each took a
swallow of the liquid at the same time.
But the first taste was sufficient to
convince them all that a mistake had
been made and a moment later they
discovered they had partaken of car-
bolic acid.

Every member of the party fell
seriously ill and one of them died be-
fore medical attention could be sum-
moned. It is believed that the cap-
tain and his other guests will re-
cover.

SINKS WITHOUT WARNING

Wooden Steamer Fairhaven Disappears
Beneath Waters at Elor at Seattle

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 3.—The old
wooden steamer Fairhaven, plying be-
tween Seattle and Puget Sound ports
to the north, sank suddenly without
warning at her pier in this city early
to-day. Her mooring rope prevented
her from going to the bottom and ca-
bles were put under her so that it will
be possible to raise her.

The members of the crew had worked
until 10 o'clock stowing freight and
had been asleep only two hours when
the cry of danger sent them flying to
the deck.

They had just been paid their
monthly wages and few of them had
sandy time to grab their money when
they made their escape. The vessel is
valued at \$30,000. Damage to cargo
and boat will be less than \$5,000.

BUY ANOTHER CANNERY.

McKenzie & Mann Purchase Strath-
cona Packing House at River's
Inlet.

The Wallace Fisheries, Ltd., a cor-
poration controlled by the McKenzie,
Mann & Co. interests and owning three
canneries, is extending its operations.
The Strathcona cannery at River's In-
let has just been acquired from the
owners, Messrs. N. H. Bain and G. J.
Wilson, of Vancouver.

The deal was closed by Col. A. D.
Davidson shortly before his departure
for the east a few days ago. The plant
has a capacity of about 25,000 cases of
salmon annually. The company al-
ready owned a cannery and a cold
storage plant at the mouth of the
Skooka river, a cannery and a cold
storage plant on Alberni canal, and a
cannery on Quatsno Sound.

SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

From the Orient.

Monteagle Nov. 3

Chicago Maru Nov. 4

Kumada Nov. 5

Tamba Maru Nov. 9

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INTEREST CENTRES ON SENIOR SOCCER

The Leaders Lose Three Fine Players—S. O. E.'s Increasing Strength—The Games

Amateur football games fill the leading role again this weekend and as usual an attractive list of matches is on the card. The senior race, which is in full swing now, is becoming very interesting. The Wards are off in the lead with the Garrison in second place and the Wests tagging close behind. It is possible that this Saturday may make a material change in the standing of the teams for should the James Bays and Garrison win from the Wards and the Sons of England, the former will forge ahead considerably and the latter go level with the leaders.

It all depends on how the Wards make out against the James Bays. Russ Humber's loss has lost the services of Willie Thomas and Leslie, who played for them last Saturday, and their absence means a big difference. But even under these circumstances it is doubtful whether the James Bays are strong enough to take the light-blue aggregation into camp. Whatever happens the game should be fast and closely contested. It will be played at Oak Bay, with Dan McDougal handling the whistle.

The Royal Athletic park is the scene of the other senior game between the Sons of England and the Garrison. The soldiers, of course, are away favorites but the "Sons" have been showing stronger every succeeding Saturday and it is just possible that they may spring a surprise on their opponents. W. Pierson will probably referee.

In the second division the games are between the Wards and Forsyth at the North Ward park and the Garrison and the Wests at the Work Point grounds. O. Huxley and J. Richmond, respectively, will referee. In this league the Wests are well in the lead now and are likely to go farther ahead this Saturday as their opponents, the Garrison, are perhaps the least formidable of the six clubs. The North Ward and High School Juniors clash at Beacon Hill, E. J. Malton refereeing. All games commence at 2 p. m.

The teams are:

Senior Division.
North Ward—Goal, Baines; full-backs, Fisher and McDonald; halves, A. Dakers, Brynjolfsson, Massey; forwards, McCarter, Sharpe, Taylor, T. Peden, J. Dakers; substitute, Hodgson.

J. B. A. A.—Goal, R. Lefevre; full-backs, Sheriff and Lormier; halves, Dilger, Lemay, Gerrard; forwards,

Todd, Allan, Pilkington, Matthews, Rothwell.

Sons of England—Goal, Loweridge; full-backs, Hyman, Perry; halves, C. Martin, J. Waring, P. Kellsall; forwards, Douglas, Pickering, Wedgewood, Thackeray, J. Magin, substitutes, A. Atwell, Maxwell, Brewin.

Garrison—Goal, Beane; full-backs, Elton and Jones; halves, Brown, Wylie, Vincent; forwards, Greteraux, Saies, Gale, Stevens and Buxton.

Second Division.

Victoria West—Goal, Luckett; full-backs, S. Stewart and Ross; halves, R. Stewart, Brown, Davis; forwards, Youson, Sedger, B. Youson, Carmichael and Brown; substitutes, Erickson and Young.

For a magazine that is going to have but three games a week during the winter "at home," George Schreder, of Tacoma, is taking an awful lot of interest in his next year's club. He has signed a young bush second sacker from California, and now he announces that the signing of big Ed Gotchey of the Blaine White Sox. Last fall Jim McGuire, scout for the Cleveland Naps, slipped over to watch the Blaine phenomenon perform, and Ed looked so good to McGuire that he signed him to a ticket to Cleveland. Cleveland didn't get to see much of Gotchey, however, for rather, Gotchey didn't get to see much of Cleveland. He didn't look exactly like a finished product to George Stovall, and President Schreder told him to put in another year in the bushes. Ed was in Cleveland just fifteen minutes. Bob Brown of Vancouver, was after Ed, but George Schreder offered him more money. Last year Gotchey lost but three games out of twenty-four. He ought to be a big help to the Tigers, but with Blaine floundering, Doc Huskins, Lefty Miller and Charlie Schreder still on the job, George Schreder is not nearly so badly off for finding material as some magazines we know of. Dave Dundale, for instance.

Between the Pacific coast. Tuesday night, the Vancouver Rugby Union that he had blown the whistle in his last match, and his resignation from the board of referees was received with great regret, the expression of regret being recorded on the minutes. Mr. J. L. Tait, the president of the union, urged Mr. Jenkinson to reconsider his decision, and when the latter declared that his mind was solidly made up, paid a high tribute to the great services he had rendered Rugby football on the coast.

Harvard and Yale have not crossed each other's goal line since Yale turned the trick in 1907. There should be something doing in the 1911 game. Seven-eleven.

The members of the British Columbia Rugby team, which is playing its last game in the south to-day against the University of Stanford, was ban-

quetted last night by the British Empire Club of California. It is rumored that W. J. P. Mackay, manager of the B. C. team on the trip this year, and Reggie Woodward, of Vancouver, who managed the Vancouver teams which visited California in 1906 and 1907, are being considered as possible referees in the game of November 11 between Stanford and California.

By playing in every position on the Denver team W. J. Kenworthy equaled the record made by "Runt" Walsh, of the Philadelphia Nationals.

After this Saturday the city soccer games will commence at 2:30 p. m. instead at 3. This was decided at the meeting of the Victoria and District Soccer Association last evening.

SPORT NOTES

PLAN GREAT CHANGE IN WORLD'S SERIES

Proposed New System to Be Laid Before Commission—Will Prevent Scalping

Chicago, Nov. 3.—A plan which will make a radical change in the present system of deciding the world's baseball championship, was laid before the National Commission which meets in Cincinnati November 14.

The session has been called for the investigation of ticket-scalping in connection with the recent contest between the Giants and Athletics and suggesting remedies for the evils which have attended every contest for the diamond supremacy.

August Herrmann, chairman of the commission, said there was a plan to deal with the present world's championship struggle of seven games and substitute a schedule of sixty contests with the second teams of two major leagues as the contestants and cut the regular schedules of the two major organizations to 112 games. In other words each team would be called upon to play 172 games, 18 more than the present season schedules call for.

By eliminating the many open dates, the increased number of contests could be decided by the middle of October. Herrmann believes it will do away with practically all the scalping, inasmuch as the games will be regarded in mostly the same light as the present league schedules. The sixty game quarter league series would give Detroit, Washington and Cleveland an opportunity of seeing all the teams of the National League which they do not have a chance of viewing now.

Pittsburg, Cincinnati and Brooklyn likewise would be afforded an opportunity of watching their teams play all the American League clubs

INTERNATIONAL MATCH.

Oxford and Cambridge Plan to Send Team Against American Universities.

New York, Nov. 3.—It is announced here that Oxford and Cambridge universities are planning to send a team to America next season for an international match with Yale and Harvard.

Letters from President Baker of the Cambridge Athletic Club, indicate that the Englishmen want to come early in June, so that they can be home in time for the Olympic games at Stockholm. Very likely the first week in June will suit the Yale-Harvard men, as it will be just after the inter-collegiate championships, when the athletics will be keyed up to their best form.

RUGBY MATCH.

How Law Students Field Against Bays To-morrow.

The law students, who play the J. B. A. A. Rugby fifteen at Oak Bay to-morrow afternoon, will take the field as follows: Fullback, Colvin; three-quarters, Gallaher, Boggs, Ogden and Stewart; halves, Shires and Talbot; forwards, Montell, Milligan (capt.), Norris, White, Ambrey, Finland, Fletcher and Wootton.

The game will commence at 2 o'clock promptly. A. D. B. Scott will referee. Captain Milligan, of the law students, hopes to get a game next Saturday with the High School.

WARRING DIVINES RECONCILED.

R. J. Campbell and Dr. Forsyth Lay Down Weapons on New Theology.

There was a scene of great enthusiasm at the meeting of the Congregational Union at Nottingham, when a reconciliation was announced between the Rev. R. J. Campbell and Dr. Forsyth, between whom there had been for the last five years—to use Dr. Forsyth's own words—"sharp contentions." The gathering will long be remembered in the annals of the Congregational Union. It would hardly be an exaggeration to say that the incident was a landmark in the union's history.

The incident occurred during the discussion of a paper read by the Rev. R. S. Franks (Western College, Bristol), on the subject, "Does Christianity necessarily stand on a historical basis?" The writer came to the conclusion that everything ultimately pointed to a historical basis for Christianity. Although the Gospels themselves did not agree and could not be brought into the same picture, the sole basis for Christianity was the fact of Christ.

The Rev. R. J. Campbell, who was warmly welcomed, said that Jesus of Nazareth was inseparable from the eternal Christ—a statement which brought the assembly to its feet in a burst of cheers. "I hope," Mr. Campbell went on, "that I am not appearing here under false pretences, as I notice that remark of mine was received with some surprise. No change of any moment has taken place in my theological

opinions during the last five years, nor have I anything to announce in that direction—this afternoon. I believe some misapprehension has prevailed on that point."

"Why," he asked, "had the Christian Christ survived and absorbed all the devotion formerly given to the pagan 'Christs'? It was because Christianity had been able to proclaim not only a living Christ, but a living Jesus, and it was the latter that had made devotion to the former possible. Christianity was impossible without the personality."

"My own experience of Jesus day by day," said Mr. Campbell, "renders me immune to all arguments about His non-historicity. Jesus Christ is the central factor, my spiritual life. I worship Him, I trust my soul to Him for time and eternity. He is a very real spiritual experience—so real that not all the theorising in the world is going to displace Him from pre-eminence in the hearts of those in fellowship with Him. That argument of experience cannot be dismissed, the religious value of that experience is beyond our power to compute. Nothing could compensate for the loss of it, without it spiritual life would be immeasurably poorer. The human heart cries out for a High Priest who can be touched with our infirmities. If we had never had such a Christ in the flesh, we should never have known anything of the Christ of the spirit. We should still be craving for such a Christ as the one great need of our poor, struggling earthly life."

The assembly cheered again and again when Mr. Campbell sat down. Dr. Forsyth ascended the pulpit, and was also heartily applauded. "There has been," he said, "between Mr. Campbell and myself, sharp contention. I desire to say that that is at an end. (Cheers.) Mr. Campbell does not believe exactly as I do. I don't believe exactly as he does; but I trust that both he and you will allow me to say this—that I heard him say this afternoon these sentences: 'I worship the Lord Jesus Christ and I trust my soul to Him for ever.' No man can speak like that without the Spirit of God, without the Holy Spirit of the Lord Jesus Christ Himself. It may—it might be—that I ought to have known that would be the case, but that there could be no longer anything between us and him when we passionately and truly believe in the great doctrines which are fundamental to Christianity."

"As Mr. Campbell has this afternoon given utterance to those views, I desire to express my profound satisfaction and pleasure that he should be beside us on this platform. (Cheers.) I hope to meet him on subsequent occasions, when his spiritual insight and judicious action will not be lacking at our discussions." (Loud cheers.)

Others were down to speak, but forbore doing so, and the meeting separated after singing "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow."

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Francis Shepherd, M. P., and son, of Nanaimo, are in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Risteen have been in Victoria for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. McD. Russell, of Vancouver, are in Victoria on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brownlee from Vancouver are guests at the Empress.

Robert Cassidy, K. C., of Vancouver, is visiting friends here in his home town.

A report from Nanaimo states that Mr. Justice Murphy is seriously ill there.

Mr. and Mrs. de Cox are down from Ladysmith spending a few days with friends.

Principal G. W. Clark of the Ladysmith high school has been in town on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sellick are on their way to Southern California for the winter season.

C. D. Newton and Miss Newton are in Victoria from Prince Rupert as guests of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George White Eraser are spending a few days in the city from Cobble Hill.

J. S. Gibb, manager of the Victoria Imperial Bank of Canada, has gone south for a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McKim are at home again after a delightful tour of the Eastern cities.

A. W. Anderson has arrived in the city from Kaslo, and is a guest at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. Armstrong and daughter, Miss Armstrong, are the guests of Mrs. Nicholson of Nanaimo.

Mrs. J. A. Knight and her daughter Miss Knight are down from Ladysmith for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hazen, of Fredericton, New Brunswick, have arrived at the Empress hotel.

Messrs. William and R. J. Brinkdale are spending a short while in Prince Rupert and Stewart.

Mr. McLain, the well known landscape architect, has returned to Vancouver after a few days in town.

Miss Kathleen McLean, is visiting friends in the city coming over from her home in Vancouver for the holiday.

The Misses Ethel Crumm and Olive Valentine, are in the city from their home in Port Townsend visiting with friends.

C. E. Cartwright, C. E. of Vancouver, accompanied by C. T. Cartwright, of Ottawa, is registered at the Empress hotel.

J. A. Ruddick, dairy commissioner for Canada, is a visitor to the coast, and reached Victoria yesterday on an official inspection trip.

Mr. Charles Rawlinson, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of the grand domain of British Columbia, is

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A. E. Todd has gone to New Westminster to attend the good roads convention being held there to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Willie accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gilson, motored up to Lake Cowichan to enjoy the holidays at fishing.

Messrs. J. H. Laidlaw, Wallace Law, H. Davie, all prominent members of the Vancouver I. O. O. F., have been guests of the local order.

Harry Whitney Teat, is the newly elected president of the Seattle Hunt Club and E. C. Hanford succeeds Dr. R. P. Smith as M. F. H.

Thomas Plimley is in Seattle registered at the Savoy. Mr. Plimley went down to bring over some new Overland cars which have just arrived.

Mrs. Harold Robertson, entertained on Wednesday afternoon at her home, 510 St. Charles street, her honor guest being Miss Arl McKenzie. Many friends availed themselves of the opportunity to meet Miss McKenzie and a delightful afternoon was spent.

Hon. Dr. Young will be unable to attend the good roads convention being held in New Westminster to-day. The acting premier has been called to Sidney on official duty. Hon. Thomas Taylor will be in attendance representing the province.

The Thanksgiving dance held at Shawanigan Lake was a splendid success. A large number of young people from town went up for the affair, and about 25 couples enjoyed a good evening.

ing at dancing, after which a buffet supper was served.

Mrs. H. S. Clements and party, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sproule and W. K. Sproule, are guests at the Empress. Mr. Clements, member-elect of the Comox-Atlin, and the party have been motoring through the island portion of Mr. Clements' constituency.

Miss Emily B., eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Stanch Powderly, of this city, and Mr. J. S. Mulhail, were united in marriage at the St. Peter's cathedral, New Westminster, yesterday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Mulhail are in Victoria on their wedding trip, after which they will be at home in Vancouver.

Miss Weltha Alexander, pianist for the Imperial Dance Club, was the recipient of a pretty little honor yesterday. A beautiful pair of brass shoe vases were presented to her. The vases were mounted on an ebony stand which bore a shield inscribed: "Presented to Miss W. Alexander by the Dance Club of H. M. S. Shearwater and Algerine as a token of esteem."

At the home of Mrs. F. Fornier, 1770 Denman street, last night, a kitchen shower was held in honor of Miss M. Townsley, who is to be married to Mr. E. Petch on 22nd inst. Those present were all members of the Girls' W. A. of St. John's church, of which organization Miss Townsley has been a valuable member. Refreshments were served during the evening and a jolly time was spent. Those present were: Mrs. Purdy, Miss H. Purdy, Miss E. Purdy, Mrs. Norris, Miss Penketh, Misses Jeeves, Miss Townsley, Miss Gurnham, Miss Hayes, Miss Fulton, Miss Cane, Miss C. Smith, Miss H. Chafe, Miss M. Chafe and Miss G. Hewlings.

The Evening Chit-Chat

By Ruth Cameron

Did it ever occur to you that there is such a thing as selfishness of obligation?

I think there is.

"Yes, I would have given anything to stay a week longer, but they wouldn't let me pay a cent for my board, and I didn't feel right to without. I know they want to be kind, but it really cut my vacation in half."

The speaker was a hard-working little woman. She was persuaded to take a rare and much-needed breathing spell this summer. One week of this vacation she spent with some friends who, although not much better off in worldly goods than she, manage to have a summer cottage.

The other week she spent at home because these friends would not let her contribute a little towards the expense of the cottage.

So what was undoubtedly meant kindly on the part of her friends, ended by working a great deprivation to her.

How often people do things like that from a mistaken sense of kindness. And how often it makes other people uncomfortable or works deprivation to them as in this case.

I know a girl who is very skilful at doing little dinner and dance cards. Her friends often want to get her to do something of the sort for them, but although she always seems glad to do the work she will never take any payment, and so they do not feel like asking her to help them out. The result is that they pay a professional a much larger price.

"Last summer," I heard a woman say just the other day. "I got a little neighbor of mine to take care of my cat while I was away. Of course I paid for its food, and when I came back I wanted to pay the little girl for the care, but her parents wouldn't let her take a cent. I felt terrible and of course this summer I couldn't ask her again. It would have been a great convenience to me and I know the little girl would be glad to do it for her loved cats, but what can you do? I think people are so foolish that way."

So do I.

There are many times when gracious acceptance of money for services rendered, even when the transaction is between friends, is the highest courtesy.

And I think those people who will not accept such payment are selfish of obligation.

They want to keep the other party eternally under obligation. And since, as everyone knows, being under too heavy obligation is uncomfortable, that is really a selfish state of mind.

Of course there are times when people offer to pay for things merely out of politeness or a sense of duty.

But I think such offers are easily discernible.

Far more often people want to pay for services rendered, in order that they may feel free to ask for these same services again some time.

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MR. BURELL ON IRISH HOME RULE

Chief Secretary Outlines Measure—Parliament of Two Chambers

Mr. Burrell, Chief Secretary for Ireland, addressing a Liberal meeting at Ilfracombe recently, said: Our Home Rule scheme involves the setting up in Ireland of a parliament consisting of two chambers, with an executive—that is, a cabinet of ministers—responsible to it.

It involves that this Irish parliament shall have full representative powers and control over purely Irish concerns (hear, hear) and that, in considering what those concerns are, we shall be found taking a wide view, our object being to educate a national demand for natural responsibility, and to establish yet another parliament for there are already a great number in the Empire—subordinate to the Imperial parliament, which will be, I hope and pray and believe, in time to come, a training school for Irish statesmen and for Irish administrators. (Cheers.)

That I may answer to Mr. Long, I know he will say in reply, "But I want to know a little more than that." I want to know about those financial difficulties of yours. I want to know about the parliament problem. Tell me, if you please, all about them, for my good." (Laughter.) My answer is, "I will gladly tell you, Mr. Long, what we propose to do in those matters, and I will take you into my counsel regarding them, if you will give me your promise—and there is no more honorable man in the country than Mr. Long—that if I can succeed in removing or modifying any objections you have to my financial or parliamentary proposals, if I am fortunate enough to carry you with me, at all events, to some extent—if you will then promise me to forego and to withdraw your opposition to my main proposition, which is the essence of Home Rule, namely, the setting up of an Irish parliament and an Irish executive responsible to it, will you accept on those terms?" But Mr. Long can only give one answer. Being an honest man, he is bound to tell me that he is bound to oppose Home Rule in every shape and form, and anything I say to him, however reasonable, any concession I make to him, however great, on finance, on the parliament problem, or upon anything else, will not remove by one jot or tittle his ferocious opposition to the whole scheme. There is not much use in taking a man of that sort into your confidence.

My answer, therefore, to Mr. Long is—it is not a very harsh answer—wait till next March. (Laughter and cheers.)

Two great difficulties, said Mr. Burrell, were talked about. They were money and religion. It was a very odd thing about money and religion, that the people who got the most excited about money were the people who had the most of it—(laughter)—and the people who got most excited about religion were the people who had none of it. Religion was based on love, not on hatred.

The money argument against Home Rule was apparently the one which most appealed to Sir Edward Carson.

The Chief Secretary then compared the cost of civil government in England, Scotland and Ireland. In England he asserted that it was 18s. 9d. per man, in Scotland £1 2s. 8d., and in Ireland £2 4s. 1d. Sir Edward Carson, he said, became almost lyrical in his joy over those figures—(laughter)—and said he was prepared to drink the health of John Bull, who paid for everything. (Laughter and cheers.)

If Ireland every year now got one and a half millions more than she contributed, what, he (Mr. Burrell) wondered, would be the state of things twenty years hence at the same rate. Economics could be effected under Home Rule, but, if it was refused, the expenditure would largely increase. "If Home Rule is the true way out of these difficulties and the only way out of the difficulties, then we must face this monetary difficulty, face it boldly and in no miserably spirit, because the very worst thing that can happen to Great Britain financially is to allow things to keep on indefinitely on the present basis." (Hear, hear.)

Then there was the religious difficulty. He did not deny its existence, although he doubted its right to be called "religious." (Hear, hear.)

The position was that those people wanted to be in the ascendency. For the moment money and religion had shaken hands. The money argument was prevailing over the religious argument, for the advocates of the latter were rather afraid by their attitude of losing the votes of Roman Catholics in England, many of whom were strong Tories for the present, and a code of civility prevailed. But he did not know how long it would endure. He was afraid it must break down, for in truth nothing but the spirit of Protestant ascendancy had prevented Home Rule being passed a long time ago. (Hear, hear.)

The time has come to go forward with courage on this great business. "We have put our hands to the plough, and we won't look back. (Cheers.) Never in the history of the world has the ferment of self-government failed. Why should it fail in the case of Ireland? Indeed, Ireland will in time be a real integral part of a united kingdom."

Turkey and Italy are not the only European countries lacking a national anthem. Germany does not possess a national song in the true sense of the word. The "Wacht am Rhein" owed its popularity to its applicability during the Franco-Prussian war, but neither this nor "Hell auf im Siegeskranz" (set to the tune of our own "God Save the King") has ever been formally adopted as a national anthem. Spain, also, though she has many songs of local and party patriotism, has none that can be said to breathe a purely national feeling.

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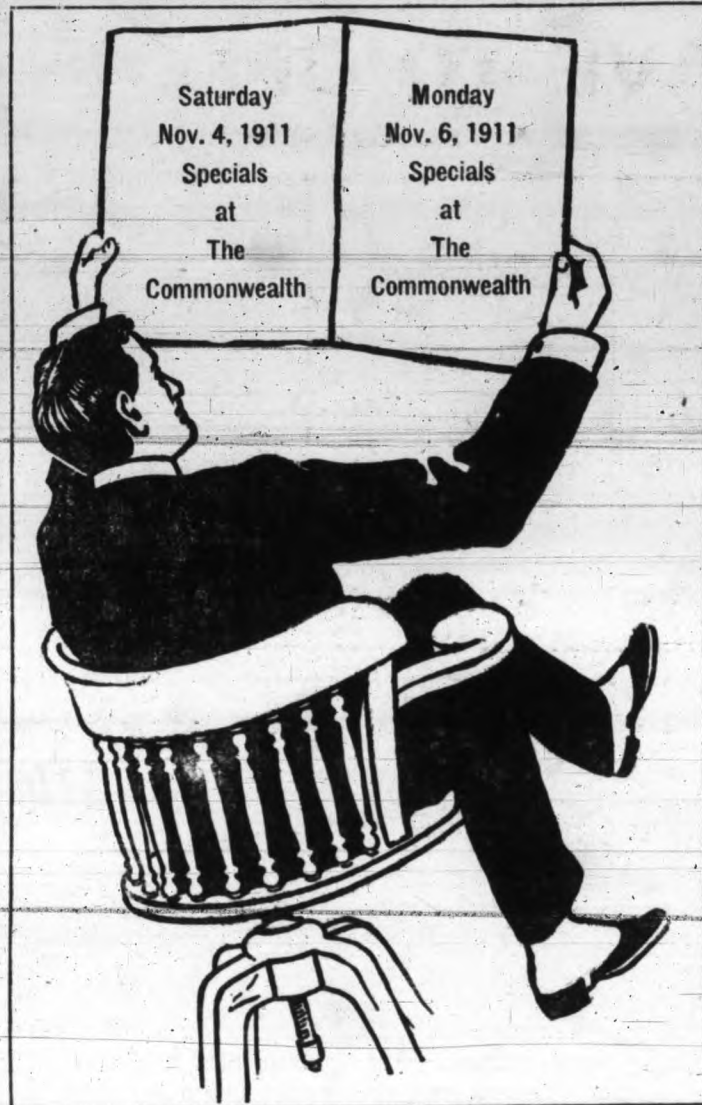
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"When Knighthood was in Flower," a production that has always met with popular favor and approval from the theatre-goers through the country, will come to this city, playing at the Victoria theatre on Wednesday next. Miss Anna Day, the sterling Irish-American actress, beautiful of face and figure, will again be seen in the stellar role of Mary Tudor, the madcap English princess. The company is said to be one of the most gorgeously equipped scenic productions on the road. The season as the play gives ample opportunity for lavish mounting in costumes and properties. The company carries a special carload of scenery.

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THE ORIGINAL SHERLOCK HOLMES

Gift of Induction Which Made Dr. Joseph Bell Famous

Dr. Joseph Bell, who died the other day in Midlothian, has another claim upon our memory than that which belongs to a brilliant surgeon. He was the master of an inductive method all his own. Reason and observation were so closely knit up in his brain that they seemed one single process. When you began to disentangle a single statement of his making you saw at once that it was not the mere hazard of guesswork; it was the final stage in the swift vision and intuitive comparison of many facts. The patient who was described by Dr. Bell at his entry as a non-commissioned officer in a West Indian regiment perchance believed himself the victim of a miracle. The recognition was not a miracle. For those that had eyes to see there was no snapped link in the chain of argument.

Lifetime of Study. The gift of Joseph Bell was doubtless innate. He had improved it marvellously by a lifetime of study. He once wrote an article upon the influence of occupations upon the hand of man, and it was not merely the tell-tale face which he called into the witness-box of discovery. Nor did any of the minor incidents of experience elude him. With zealous care he noted the peculiarities of soil and neighborhood. One day a stranger came into his consulting room. Without lifting his eyes, the doctor said, half interrogatively, "You found it very muddy crossing the Meadows this morning?" "How did you know I crossed the Meadows?" asked the stranger. The reason was obvious. The mud which clung to the stranger's boots was found nowhere else in Edinburgh.

When a popular novelist sought his inspiration in the teaching of Joseph Bell the doctor's patients had no difficulty in divining its source. Stevenson read a story of Sherlock Holmes in Samoa and recognized in an instant the method of his old friend. The popular novelist did not apply to the discovery of the crime and criminals the brilliantly simple theory of the eminent surgeon.

Dr. Bell's was but a general faculty raised to the highest power. Sedulous practice and sound knowledge might bring it within the reach of most of us. The doctor's hand is subdued to what it works in, as Shakespeare told us long ago. We cannot, if we would, escape the influence of our deeds and which we hear upon us plainly thoughts. We hear upon us plainly the history of our lives. Vice and virtue mark indelibly the face of man. "What does drink provoke?" asks Macduff in the play. "Marry, sir, nose-painting," answers the porter, in anticipation of western America, and though the testimony of our excess is hopeless task to escape the notice of our fellows or the consequences of our acts.

If we watch those whom we encounter

in street or train we have little difficulty in divining their character and pursuits. Not even the williest of us forbears to hang out a sign. He whose quest is gold stands revealed by the glance of satisfied appetite in his eye, by the firm acquiescence of his jaw. He whose mind is set upon another ambition, who falls to grasp the lock of Opportunity's forehead, invites us to his confidence with a happy-go-lucky nonchalance. The politician needs no rosette in his buttonhole to trumpet his opinions. The bluff and greedy arrangements of the Socialist are far more eloquent of his false ideals than his red tie. The calm balance of the settled Tory requires no commentary. The polished forehead, the sanguine eye, the lofty air of superiority which denote the unthinking Radical are recognizable at the first glance. It is only in the highest walks, where genius levels all men, that even the criminal can hide his guilty intention.

We know that Williams, the most cold-blooded of all murderers, the artist, who slaughtered a whole family for art's sake, had won the general reputation of benevolence. We know that Palmer, the hero of Buzskey, was reputed a good fellow by all his acquaintances. These men and their like dwell upon the mountain-top. The ordinary criminal does not deceive the casual passer-by. You may recognize the burglar even though no centrepiece is sticking out of his pocket. The apache of Paris wears a uniform, no doubt for the convenience of the police. The uniform is unnecessary. His hungry look, his weak, unrestrained mouth, are sufficient to convict him. And even if he had the prudence to mask his expression the shape of his head would still betray him. No man, by taking thought, can change by the hundredth part of a degree his facial angle.

The case wherewith we may divine the characters and purposes of men is the more remarkable because to-day our constant aim is outward uniformity. We do not blazon our professions in our cities. The time has gone by when Bohemia took pride in long hair and velvet coats. The man of letters no longer drops his pipe upon the drawing-room floor, as he did in the French play. We dress alike, we speak alike, we act alike. The barriers of class are being rapidly broken down. And to appear a gentleman seems a higher ambition than to appear a poet, or a stockbroker, or a politician. As, by a stroke of good fortune, we are no longer driven into pass, to consort only with our kind, we do our best, like loyal citizens of the world, to speak with the same accent, to see with the same eyes as the rest.

In vain we make the attempt. A swift induction disconcerts us in an instant. We may look all alike to the Chinaman, who finds it difficult to separate one European from another. Our faces deceive the philosopher as little as the mud on our boots would deceive the practical geologist. Though all our coats be black, though all our hats be shiny, we cannot hide the brand of gold or evil that is upon us. Success or failure is written large and plain upon our brows. If we have been triumphant, as the mob understands triumph, we reveal to all the field of our victory. Happiness or misery

lurks in the corners of our mouths. Wisdom or folly glances from our eyes. Not even the talent of the historian can suppress our unwilling sincerity. We may clip our hair as we will. We may depile the antic garments of the past. Our precautions are taken in vain. The dyer's hand is still confessed though no hint of color stain it.—London Daily Mail.

MUNICIPAL SALOON PROPOSED.

Lakeport, Cal., Nov. 2.—Supervisors of Lakeport, Cal., comprising Lower lake, is scheduled to vote on the license question November 28. For this election the women are registering in numbers. Presumably to avoid a "dry" vote, citizens are urging the novel idea of a municipal saloon. The proposition is that the supervisors get out a license for on saloon in the district—that to be under the management of a board of five directors to be elected by the people, and the profits of the saloon to be devoted to town improvements. The proposition is said to meet with little favor.

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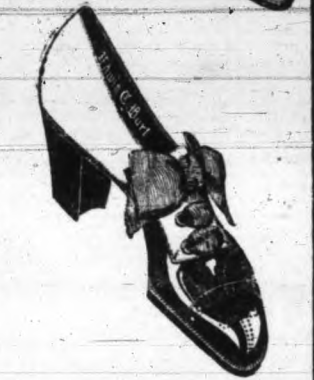
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OUR LETTER BOX

MAYOR EXPLAINS.

Nov. 2nd, 1911.
To the Editor: Enclosed please find copy of communication which I handed in to the Colonist early yesterday morning, and which they have not so far printed.

I would be obliged to you if you would kindly afford it space in your columns, except as to the communication in question, which you have already printed in full.

Yours truly,
A. J. MORLEY,
Mayor.

Nov. 1st, 1911.
Mayor's Official Communications.
To the Editor of the Colonist, Victoria, B. C.:

Dear Sir: A short time since you kindly intimated that the Colonist would at all times be glad to print any communications from the mayor. Since then the Colonist has adopted a policy of printing its own karbled versions of the mayor's official communications to the council in place of the original.

Such a version appears in this morning's issue in regard to the mayor's ruling on the proceedings of the council after 11 p. m. of last Friday evening.

As the Colonist's version occupies more space than would the original, the excuse cannot be one of lack of space.

There are a number of our citizens who are sufficiently interested in civic affairs to desire to judge for themselves at first hand who are subscribers for the Colonist. How long they will continue to subscribe if this system of enlightenment continues is a question worthy your consideration.

Enclosed find a correct copy of the document now in question, which in fairness to all concerned I hope you will print in full.

Yours truly,
A. J. MORLEY,
Mayor.

October 31st, 1911.
To the Aldermen of the Council, Victoria, B. C.:

Gentlemen: I regret to have to inform you that on account of the rush of proceedings while Alderman Hunter was speaking in committee of the whole, a resolution was passed while still in committee for an extension of time.

Alderman Hunter and others prevented the mayor from explaining the situation, and Alderman Moresby moved a resolution seconded by Alderman W. F. Fullerton, for the extension.

The committee should have arisen, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again, in order that the council might have a chance to extend the time.

Therefore, all matters dealt with after 11 o'clock at the meeting of October 27th are out of order, and consequently illegal.

The fact that other citizens present have drawn my attention to this matter makes it impossible to allow the error to pass, were it otherwise possible so to do.

(Signed) A. J. MORLEY,
Mayor.

LANDLORDISM IN CANADA.

To the Editor: While I believe that if Mayor Morley were King we would have a revolution in Great Britain in the space of one week, I thoroughly agree with every word he says in his letter in this day's Times. I am an Irishman, and spent 35 years in my native

home country, and ought to know what landlordism is. Every right-thinking man in this country ought to use his utmost endeavor to prevent dual ownership of land in Canada. If it is permitted to take root we will have a repetition of all that happened in Ireland. Can it be possible that the unfortunate people who were driven from their homes in Great Britain and Ireland and who came to the great free country (Canada) are to meet with the same fate that drove them from their homes?

WALTER J. MCCLURE,
501 Govt. St., City.

THE CENSUS.

To the Editor: This letter has been forwarded to the editor of the Colonist and is directed to him:

If Alderman Fullerton was correctly reported as Tuesday night's meeting of the council he stated that three out of four families represented in his office were left out of the census enumeration; also that only two people were enumerated in a private hotel where there were eighty people. I will bet Alderman H. M. Fullerton twenty dollars that he cannot prove the above statements. Why does he not state who the people or families were, also what hotel it was that was so enumerated?

I do not know whether it is for political or real estate reasons that the above ridiculous statements were made or for some other reason that I do not understand—but this I do know, that as far as I could possibly accomplish it in a legitimate manner the city of Victoria census was correctly taken notwithstanding the wholesale abuse that my enumerators had to contend with, and the most of it coming from what is known as the business fraternity. Alderman H. M. Fullerton must know that two of my enumerators work for (did at the time) in his office, and I believe they do yet, so he must be far slower than I gave him credit for, even allowing for the above ridiculous statements to be correct, when the lists were kept open for over one month after the census was completed by the enumerators.

Now, Sir, day after day practically for three weeks, I called attention to the fact that lists were open at the Colonist office, so that those who had been left out could be added to the census. In that length of time thirty-eight people took advantage of that offer, many of whom had been previously enumerated, and I now have the papers in hand with a letter from Ottawa asking for additional information regarding those names, which was not given at the time.

I admit, Sir, that the census of this city can be made far larger by taking the transient population, but only in this manner. My instructions were not to take this population, I was sworn to the duties I had to do, and I carried them out to the letter. I can also add that if your paper (Colonist) had been so friendly to my enumerators and myself at the starting of the census as it was when we were nearing completion and afterwards, that we would not have had one-half as much trouble with the people of this city as we did have. You started out by saying that the questions were ridiculous and that, practically speaking, the people were not compelled to answer them. That was the foundation of all our troubles. I would like to see the census of this city many thousands more, but, Sir, don't let anyone try and make us believe they can do this on the legitimate basis that my enumerators and I were sworn to work on.

TOM J. W. HICK.

When a chameleon in blindfolded it loses the power of changing its color, and its entire body remains of a uniform tint.

WANTS EVIDENCE.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 3.—The out-of-court wrangle continued yesterday over possession of evidence in the McNamara dynamiting case. Detectives watched the building of a trust company in which the evidence was deposited and when Frank P. Baker, county prosecutor, emerged with a suit case which he said contained papers that belonged to him personally, the detectives surrounded him.

"If anyone interferes with me he will be landed behind the bars," said Mr. Baker. He added that he believed the detectives were in the employ of the federal department of justice. The evidence consists of books and papers of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, seized in a raid on the offices of the association. By a ruling of Judge Joseph Markey of the county criminal court, the evidence has been turned over to the federal grand jury, but a motion on behalf of the Iron Workers' Association for an appeal to the Supreme court has been filed. Pending a hearing next Saturday the evidence is held by the trust company.

W. G. MATTHEWS DEAD.

Toronto, Nov. 3.—Wilbur C. Matthews, general manager of R. G. Dun & Company in Canada, died in the General hospital at 11 o'clock Wednesday night. A week ago he was removed from his home to the hospital suffering from stomach trouble. He seemed to be recovering from this ailment when on Tuesday acute pneumonia developed, of which he died. One of the leading authorities on financial conditions in Canada was the late Mr. Matthews. He was 66 years of age, and was connected with R. G. Dun & Company for forty-three years. For some time he was manager of the branch of the firm in Memphis, Tenn., and thirty-six years ago he left that city and established the business in Toronto. Since then he has managed the company's business for entire Canada. He was born in Maple, Ont. His son, Mr. F. B. Matthews, is district manager of R. G. Dun & Company in Winnipeg.

DR. ADLER'S RULE.

Caused King Edward VII. to Change Day of Court Reception.

The recent death of the chief rabbi of Great Britain, Dr. Herman Adler, gave a shock to the Anglo-Jewish community comparable to that which the death of Queen Victoria gave to the British Empire. His rule, like hers, marked an epoch. He raised the official position which he held to the height of a great power, and at the same time he was endeared to the hearts of the people over whom he exercised the ecclesiastical sway.

Officially the chief rabbi of the Jews not only of the United Kingdom, but of the British Empire for twenty years, he actually fulfilled the duties of his office for twelve years before that as a delegate to his father, who was chief rabbi before him, he had come to represent completely the British Jewry before the general public.

The pre-eminent qualities of the late Dr. Adler were his sympathies and his extraordinary energy. He played many parts in his long life, but all with distinction. For the greater part of his long life he was principal of Jews' college, the theological seminary which trains the ministers for the congregations in his widespread diocese. That he possessed the knowledge and instincts of a scholar is shown by his many publications on Jewish scholastic philosophy and kindred subjects. His honor as a conversationalist and as a defender of his people from calumny was manifest in articles which he wrote from time to time for the English reviews, by his eminence as a preacher, by the selection of sermons which he published, and notably by the volume, "Anglo-Jewish Memoirs," which he issued in 1909 in commemoration of his 70th birthday.

But without a doubt his greatest work was shown in holding together for a generation in one united community the diverse elements which go to form English Jewry, East End and West End. The Talmud-loving immigrant from the Russian ghetto and assimilated congregations of British-born Jews alike acknowledged his authority and his ruling, looking upon him as their head.

In his later years he had to bear many trials, private and public; but his irresistible energy, his unselfish devotion to his work never faltered. In his last sickness he was sacrificing the little strength which remained to him in seeking to smooth some divergences of view which had arisen between the different elements of the community.

One incident in the career of Dr. Adler deserves to be chronicled, as it demonstrates the fearless independence of the man. There was a meeting at which the late King Edward was present, and so was the chief rabbi. In the course of conversation his majesty said:

"How is it, Dr. Adler, that I never see you at any of my courts?"

"Sir," replied the doctor, "your courts always are held on Friday night. That is the eve of our Sabbath. Our laws forbid us to ride on the Sabbath. It is too far for me to walk from my house to Buckingham palace to attend your court and then back again. Therefore, I am unable to be present to pay my duty to your majesty."

"Then," replied the King, "I will have to have one court on another night than Friday in order that I may have the pleasure of seeing you in my house." And King Edward did, for he had a great deal of respect and admiration for the rabbi, and none of the prejudice against the Jews which still is found in certain circles.

Descendant from a long line of rabbis, all celebrated for their learning, their piety and their enthusiasm for the cause of Judea, Dr. Herman Adler, who was a D.D., LL.D., Ph.D., and M.A., was by birth a German. He was born at Hanover in 1833, but had all the characteristics of an Englishman and all the advantages of an English education.

Outside his own community Dr. Adler was well and favorably known. He had remarkably wide sympathies, and every good cause and every movement for the general benefit was sure of his support. It was in recognition of his great services in this direction that he was created C. V. O. in 1909, and the same year he was honored with the degree of D.C.L. by Oxford university. Dr. Adler gave valuable evidence on the sweating system before the House of Lords committee in 1888, and took a prominent part in many social movements for the betterment of the community. Dr. Adler always took a deep interest in all municipal and educational work. He was also a strong supporter of the territorial movement, and strenuously urged Jewish young men to join the force.

ART TREASURES.

British Government's Proposal Draws Angry Protest From Duke.

The announcement that the government are contemplating legislation to secure that the ancient monuments and art treasures which are in private hands shall be retained in the country as far as possible, has drawn forth a

sharp protest against interference with liberty of the subject from the Duke of Rutland.

After remarking that owners of works of art have been compelled to sell them in many cases in order to raise funds to meet the imposts of new taxation, his Lordship goes on: "To prevent persons who are forced by law to meet certain financial obligations from selling their own property to the best advantage is an out-

rage on the liberty of the subject only equalled, by peaceful picketing. . . . Dr. Symphon has proposed that historical monuments (no definition of "monuments" in relation to proposed legislation is given) should be scheduled at some one or other's good pleasure, and that an inspector is seemingly to give or refuse leave to the unfortunate owner to selling as he—the inspector—may imperially please, and then, if leave to sell be

granted, presumably an official price is to be placed on the said monument, a price probably one-half that which could be got in the market. . . . "The system of meddling with and spying into everyone's private affairs, which is just now in vogue, is as mean and petty a one as was ever legislatively created."

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Scientist Overthrows Accepted Theory by Discovering Neolithic Implements

When did mankind first begin to exercise his intelligence on this planet? Estimates have varied from anything between the early chronological calculations, none of which required more than four numerals, and the researches of scientists, which have been expressed in as many as six.

Des Vignoles, in the preface to his "Chronology of Sacred History," asserts that he collected upwards of 200 different calculations, the shortest of which reckoned only 3,433 years between the creation of the world and the commencement of the vulgar era, and the longest 6,981.

The difference amounts to 35 centuries, but that difference is infinitesimal compared with the various theories which geologists and archaeologists students of prehistoric times have advanced. And even these are thrown into the shade by the contentions of Dr. W. Allen Sturge, M.V.O., whose researches are described in the first volume of the "Proceedings of the Prehistoric Society of East Anglia," of which he is president.

The conclusion of the whole matter may fitly be put first. "Neolithic man goes back to some period between 200,000 and 300,000 years ago, and it would seem that we have not even then reached the beginning of the period. "Drift man was flourishing from a million years to about 700,000 years ago. Neither figure is a limit; the latter figure is probably nearer a limit than the earlier. Between the end of the Drift and the beginning of the Neolithic we have the great 'Cave' periods, which would thus seem to have occupied anything from 200,000 to 400,000 years. Behind the Drift man are vast ages of which we are only beginning to get the first glimpses. But it now seems evident that man was already on the earth in early Pliocene times, and we must not be surprised if proofs are ultimately brought forward that genus homo goes back even further than that. It has become almost a shibboleth that man first appeared in Pleistocene times; but I affirm that it is no more than a shibboleth. There is absolutely nothing a priori for or against the statement; it is entirely a question of evidence.

"The evidence is very difficult to weigh, and only first-class experts are justified in pronouncing upon it. Expert knowledge of the highest description may as yet be scarcely obtainable, but it is the duty of all who are actively working in this field to increase their knowledge by all means in their power. In this way questions that to-day are almost insoluble will become clear in a few years' time, and discussion as between nature made and human work will be reduced to comparative certainty."

This is the remarkable conclusion to a remarkable paper. Dr. Sturge admits that his theories must inevitably run counter to the generally received opinions of geologists as to the sequence of events in the Pleistocene period, and, also, to a large extent to the views hitherto held by prehistoric archaeologists regarding the Neolithic, and, in a less degree, the Palaeolithic, or ages of man. But he asks them to put on one side any preconceived views on the subject and suspend judgment until all of the data are before them. Dr. Sturge is still pursuing his investigations, but, as he says, the time has come when many minds should set to work at the great problems involved.

His attention was first drawn to the subject about 1895, when he had recently acquired two collections containing large numbers of Palaeolithic implements. He was not a little surprised to find that not a few of these implements had well defined scratches upon them. Two or three years afterwards Dr. Sturge had the opportunity of acquiring some 5,000 or 6,000 of the commoner types of Neolithic implements, scrapers, fabricators, etc., that had been collected from several places in Northwest Suffolk. And when looking out for a house on settling in England after many years abroad he had the good fortune to see a cure in what has proved to be the very centre of the most prolific area of the country from the point of view of the Stone Age. Dr. Sturge has, therefore, been in a position for nearly two years past to study the curious problems suggested by an examination of these flints on the very place where they are found, and with ample leisure.

The neighborhood of Icklingham is probably one of the richest in the world for human flint work of the Neolithic age. Large numbers of very fine implements of all kinds have been found there during the last half-century. Every peasant is more or less expert in these things, and school children bring up their little bags of stones for inspection and purchase. Although the fine things are no longer turning up in the numbers prevalent a quarter of a century ago, yet the fields are still very rich in the rougher implements. Just the class of implements from which most may be learnt of the history of the period. The number of these in Dr. Sturge's collection may be counted by the thousands, and the remarkable results which he brings forward are based upon a very careful investigation.

A merely casual examination of many of the Neolithic flint implements and flakes will show that their human surfaces are not smooth and intact. The extremely hard substance of the flint is cut into as though the implement had been made of wax rather than flint. To anyone who appreciates the conditions, Dr. Sturge's remarks, this widespread scratching of humanly flaked flints is a very staggering phenomenon.

The true explanation must accord with the fact that "the highest standard of the neighborhood a substance as hard as or harder than the hardest flint, has been dragged over other flints under pressure. No solu-

tion but that of ice action seems to explain the phenomenon. Since these implements were made there has been at least one ice sheet over the country, which has obeyed the laws of glacial action, has advanced by slow degrees over the country, picking up stones in its course and dragging them along with it. To admit that a glacial period has occurred since human implements of Neolithic types were formed is to revolutionize all views on glacial geology.

Dr. Sturge boldly advances it as the only explanation of this writing on the flints. Since Neolithic man came to Britain there has been an ice age, he contends. This ice age was not continuous, but was divided up into sub-periods of glaciation separated from one another by periods during which ice was absent; and this alteration occurred several times, five at least, and probably six. The proof of such alteration lies in the presence on the same areas of humanly-worked flints with their humanly-made surfaces presenting sharply defined types of scratching.

From evidence given in great detail, Dr. Sturge contends that the work was done by man on flints 50, 60 or perhaps 80 thousand years ago, which has not been subjected to glacial action, and therefore that the last glaciation must be dated back at least as far as that.

The first men to come back when the ice sheet was retreating to occupy the land in the relatively short interval of inter-glaciation would be of the toughest kind, bearing much the same relation to the populations further south that the Esquimaux do to the more favored populations. Their implements are of the roughest, almost worthy of the name of Neolithic collops, and Dr. Sturge is now collecting some rather remarkable evidence that these Esquimaux conditions recurred each time that man came back after the retreat of the ice sheet.

Dr. Sturge claims to have proved, on irrefragable evidence, that the Neolithic period lasted well over 200,000 years and probably 300,000. "I even go so far as to say," he remarks, "that one great difficulty in my estimation of the 'Drift' age is to reconcile the vast periods involved with the comparatively short period of 300,000 years between the beginning of the penultimate ice age a million years ago, and its ending 700,000 years ago."

THE USEFUL CEDAR

Used by Indians for Everything, From Canoe to Food.

The Indians made much of Western red cedar before white men became acquainted with the region in which it grew. From it they obtained food, clothing, shelter, means of transportation and apparatus for fishing and the chase. From the tree trunks the savages made canoes of all sizes, from the small trough that carried two men to the enormous dugouts that transported fifty or more upon long expeditions in war and peace. Before the Indians obtained metal tools from white traders they hollowed their canoes with fire and with their primitive stone and bone implements. Some of their dugouts are of enormous size, hewed from single trunks, and with lines so perfect that civilized men can scarcely suggest improvement. The making of a canoe of moderate size by the crude means at the Indians' command in the early days, required several months of hard labor with flint adzes, that chipped away pieces of wood not much larger than grains of sawdust.

The Indians of the region where western red cedar abounded generally chose it for such carpentry as they were capable of doing. Their choice was due to the softness of the wood, which meant a great deal to beams and doors with no better tools than flint, bone and shell. They made fully as much use of the bark as of the wood. With it they roofed, ceiled, floored, and papered their huts. They wove long strips of bark—sometimes thirty feet in length—into mats, which they used for beds, tables, blankets, and on ceremonial occasions. They made clothing of the same material. They twisted the bark into ropes for dog harness, ladders, fishlines and snares for wild animals and nets for catching fish. The list of uses for the bark did not end there, for they were able to make food of it. They beat the bark to a pulp, baked in cakes, and after completely saturating it with salmon oil they pronounced it a palatable and nutritious article of diet. It is believed, however, that the food value of the cakes was derived more from the fish oil than from the bark.—Agricultural Report.

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In a recent issue the New York Herald published a special article on the care of the hair, in which was given the formula for a home-made Hair Tonic, which was highly recommended for its remarkable hair-growing properties, as well as for stopping falling hair, revitalizing the hair roots, destroying the dandruff germ and restoring gray hair to its natural color. This article was of special interest to me, as the formula was one which I myself have prescribed in countless cases with most astonishing results. I remember one case, in particular in which I prescribed it for a man who had been bald for many years and in less than two months after he began its use his head was completely covered with a luxuriant growth of rich, glossy hair, thus proving that hair can be made to grow on a bald head, notwithstanding the opinion of many persons to the contrary.

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ELECTRICITY AND GROWTH.

Marketing of Apparatus Proves Theories of Experimenters.

This is an age of scientific miracles, and of all the achievements of modern inventors the most marvellous is perhaps the application of electricity to agriculture. Electricians have very nearly succeeded in making it possible to grow two blades of grass where only one was grown formerly. They have certainly demonstrated that, by the aid of electricity, many crops can be increased by from twenty to thirty per cent.

The commercial value of the discovery has been demonstrated by Mr. Thomas Clark, at the Highfields Nursery in Downham, Essex. Mr. Clark has installed an electrical machine outside a glass-house which measures 200 feet by 24 feet. The cost of the apparatus is £36 and the working expenses are only three shillings a week. With this machine the inventor claims that he has increased the yield of strawberries by 35 per cent, the yield of beets by 30 per cent, and the yield of tomatoes by 20 per cent. Experiments conducted upon a more extensive scale show that the proper use of electricity leads to wheat crops giving 25 per cent more grain and barley 50 per cent more, while the straw of both cereals is considerably increased. The practice of this machine upon the market has given a practical demonstration of the value of theories which

scientists have been interested in for years past. In the use of electricity for increasing agricultural yields English scientists have for some time been leading the world. Mr. J. E. Newman, of Evesham, made a series of experiments last year, being aided in his work by Sir Oliver Lodge and Mr. Lionel Lodge. He succeeded in demonstrating that the growth of wheat could be considerably augmented by electrical influence. Three fields of wheat were experimented upon. One was left uninfluenced, one grown under a limited current of electricity, and the third given the full benefit of the plant the experimenters had installed. The result showed that the use of electricity would be commercially successful. The increased yield more than paid for the electricity, or rather would have done so had the scheme been conducted upon purely commercial lines. For the making of the necessary machines a company was formed at Gloucester, and this company has sent machines to Germany and Austria.

Mr. Newman's experiments showed that hops could also be beneficially influenced by electricity. It seems that most crops respond to this treatment. The English method, which is used by Mr. Clark at Downham, is really a kind of "wireless" discharge. Wires are run over the crops, and the fact that they are pouring electricity into the air was demonstrated, as vacuum-lamps held three feet below the wires by the inventor were illuminated. The theory is that the electricity has the effect of increasing the nitrogen in the air, and

nitrogen is a stimulant upon which all vegetable life thrives.

Experiments upon parallel lines have been conducted in many foreign countries, notably in Sweden, France and America. In America they have tried the effect of arc lamps suspended above the plants, apparently with the idea that this would stimulate the growth at night in the absence of sunlight. But none of the foreign scientists have succeeded in getting such satisfactory results as those arrived at in England, and the effect of Mr. Clark's apparatus will be watched with much interest by agriculturists in all parts of the world. For the present it is proposed to test the influence of the electric current upon crops of tomatoes, cucumbers and strawberries, and the work will be under the supervision of Mr. J. R. Milne, who is one of the pioneers of this interesting development of modern science.

ODOR OF RAINBOWS.

Everybody has heard about the pot of gold buried at the end of the rainbow, but there is another old belief connected with the rainbow that is not so familiar nowadays. The attention of meteorologists was called to it a few years ago by Mr. Richard Bentley, of the Royal Meteorological Society. It appears that over half a century ago a controversy took place in the English newspapers as to whether the rainbow emitted an odor. A belief in such an emanation existed in antiquity, and has been echoed by several



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modern poets. Thus it is mentioned in Pliny, Aristotle, and a Greek writer referred to by Coleridge, in his "Table Talk," in the "Paripathetic Philosophy" of Georgius de Rhodis; in Bacon's "Sylva"; in Browne's "Britannia's Pastorals," and more lately in a poem by Robert Snow.

Everyone is familiar with the increase of scent given off by plants and shrubs on a warm evening after the air has been newly washed by rain. This would naturally often coincide with the appearance of a rainbow.

The aviators, M. Laganneux and M. Martinet, went out on an aeroplane shooting expedition at Compiègne, and shot a number of birds and a hare.

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LONDON SCENE OF BIG FIRE

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Six of the Largest Business
Houses in City Destroyed
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London, Ont., Nov. 2.—The most destructive fire in London in a quarter of a century completely destroyed six of the largest business houses early this morning. The loss is roughly estimated at \$870,000. Several hundred people are thrown out of employment. At 6 o'clock all the six places were burned out: Purdon Hardware Co., J. R. Chapman & Co., Kingsmill's, Brewster's, Roome & Co., and Corbett & Co.

The fire broke out in the J. M. Chapman Co. store about 4 o'clock and almost instantly the whole interior of the building was a sheet of flame. Flames were shooting clear across the street when the firemen arrived. Fifteen streams were turned into the blaze in very quick order.

In a few minutes the fire got into Kingsmill's dry goods store and in an incredibly short time that place of business was in flames.

Fire Chief Aiken was informed that in the basement of the Purdon Hardware Company at the rear on Cartage street a lot of gun powder and oils was stored and he sent some of his men down to bring the stuff out. This was done and that source of danger got over. Then they set themselves to the task of conquering the blaze. Shortly after that the wind, which had been strong, died down and the flames began to show signs of lessening in intensity.

The walls crumbled down and then the firemen had a momentary advantage. Quick to seize the opportunity they poured the big streams into the midst of the blaze and their work began to tell. At 8 o'clock nothing remained but a mass of smouldering ruins.

The stores of Chapman, Kingsmill's, Mara and Brewster were completely razed. Roome's store was gutted, scarcely a vestige of their large stock remaining. The front part of the building remained intact. The same is practically true of the Purdon Hardware Co. The loss was complete in both places but the standing walls perhaps had much to do with preventing a still further destruction of business places.

The fire was exceedingly spectacular. The flames reached an enormous height, the filmy drygoods and other light materials furnishing excellent material for the fire god. There were many narrow escapes, but fortunately no person was seriously injured. The falling walls were a continuous menace to the firemen.

The total loss is \$870,000 with a total insurance of \$835,000. The total value of buildings was \$240,000 with insurance of \$108,000, and the loss \$190,000. The stocks were valued at \$685,000, with insurance of \$655,000, and loss is estimated at \$680,000.

The individual losses follow: Purdon Hardware Co., building, valued at \$15,000, insurance \$15,000, loss \$10,000; stock value \$60,000, insurance \$45,000, loss \$50,000.

J. R. Chapman & Co., dry goods, three stores, value \$50,000, insurance \$35,000, loss \$50,000. Stock value \$200,000, insurance \$150,000, loss \$200,000.

T. Kingsmill & Co., dry goods and carpets, three stores, value \$40,000, insurance \$35,000, loss \$40,000. Stock value \$225,000, insurance \$200,000, loss \$225,000.

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Notwithstanding the extraordinary advances that have been made in recent years in cold and cool storage, the preservation of perishable produce still remains one of the great problems of the day.

It is estimated that in Great Britain, the United States and Canada there are some two billion dollars invested in cold storage businesses in which ice, chemicals and machinery play their part. Some of great excellence, and some with more or less satisfactory results, some highly encouraging, others the reverse.

A revolution is now apparently on the way. A process has been devised by which butter, meat, milk, fish and fruit can be preserved, without the necessity for dependence upon ice, chemicals or machinery.

Here in Canada, with a natural ice supply such as only one or two other countries possess the question implied is less urgent than in many parts of the world, but it is a generally accepted fact that few inventions would be of greater service to the world than an innocuous, certain, inexpensive and easy working system for the preservation of perishable produce, without the artificial aids specified.

It is a farmer of Bloemfontein, South Africa, who, after eight or ten years' laborious study and effort, has completed the device and a company has been started in that country for the popularization of the system throughout the world.

The Meder Preservation Chamber, as it is called, consists of a store room and a lobby, the whole built of five walls of air-bricks with an air space between each wall. These air bricks are of a special make; briefly, they are a particularly airy kind of air brick. To the roof of the chamber water is conveyed, and from a pipe it is squirted between the two outside walls. The result is that a remarkably cool current of air is passing right through the chamber, the more so as it is in an ingenious way, isolated from the ground.

It is, in fact, a chamber in the air. It is isolated from the moisture of the ground, and, as brick is not a good conductor, it is also isolated from earthy electricity.

The whole building is a kind of filter giving free access to the air. The air current inside the chamber is rapid enough to carry off any vapors emitted from the preserved food before they have a chance of contaminating other produce near. The theory of what happens is told in the Transvaal department of agriculture's bulletin, written by the superintendent of dairying, Mr. Robert Pape:

A continuous evaporation of moisture occurs in the outer wall; this produces electricity, which tends to accumulate a positive charge in the outer wall; but brick is neither a good conductor nor a good accumulator, consequently these bricks give up the electricity to the air. When passing through the outer wall the air is charged with moisture, and this moist air current will absorb the positive electricity forming in the bricks.

The chamber has been isolated from the negative earth current, so that the atmosphere in the chamber will be charged with positive electricity. The germicide action of the electric current having been demonstrated beyond a doubt, it is not far-fetched to assume that an atmosphere charged with positive electricity should show germicide properties. If ozone is formed as well, it can only add to the germicide properties of the chamber.

Whether it is possible to understand what exactly happens in the mysterious chamber or not, the results seem



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to be beyond question. In the department of agriculture's experiments some ordinary butter, milk, cream and cheese were placed in the chamber on April 27. For 23 days, at a temperature varying from 42 degrees to 58 degrees—the temperatures are interesting—the chamber kept milk, butter, cream and cheese in perfect condition. Then, to make the experiment more severe, fish was hung over the butter, and some mouldy butter was placed next the fresh butter.

On June 15 the fish had become naturally cured fish, there was no smell of fish, the mould had disappeared from the mouldy butter, and the fresh butter was neither mouldy nor did it smell of fish! Granting that the chamber can be made to work as well as this in ordinary commercial conditions, there is, of course, a perfect preservation of produce for a longer period than is necessary in ordinary conditions.

It seems that when protracted storage is not required the chambers can be just as well built of wood blocks, and that there is no difficulty in making wooden chambers for railway cars and for steamships. It is proposed to make quite small wooden chambers for private houses, and the advocates of the new system see farmers and other producers of perishable foods, dairy companies, and the like placed by means of their new chambers in a much more favorable position than they are now.

In ethics the preserving chamber may be erected either in a yard where there

is enough surrounding air space, or on a roof. I look forward with much interest to seeing the results of the tests that may be made of the system in this country. The assurance is given me that the chamber works even when the temperature is up to 60 degrees or 70 degrees. This is the most extraordinary statement in regard to the system, except, perhaps, and the learned may make what they can of it—that the only time when the Johannesburg chamber gave uncertain results was during the hours in which the earth passed through the tail of Halley's comet!

JOHN WESLEY'S ERROR.

(Hamilton Herald.)

One of the most engrossing subjects of discussion at the Methodist ecumenical conference was the education and treatment of children. It is interesting to note the contrast between the views expressed by the various speakers and the views and methods of the founder of Methodism. It was generally conceded by these modern Methodists that the child mind is likely to be injured by the forcing process in education, and that children must have recreation and amusement if they are to be healthy in body and mind.

John Wesley had different opinions, and he put them in practice—more's the pity. He established a boarding school for the education of the children of his local preachers, and the monastic rules which were framed for this

institution of learning were his handiwork. The pupils were required to rise at 4 a.m., and to spend one hour in private reading, singing, meditation and prayer. "From the age of six to twelve they were exercised in reading, writing, arithmetic, English, French, Latin, Greek, Hebrew, history, geography, chronology, rhetoric, logic, geometry, algebra, physics and music." No hours were allowed for recreation, and no holidays. Wesley's explanation of this harshness was that those who played when they were boys would play when they were men. This school, which was called Kingswood, had quite a vogue for many years. It was attended not only by English boys, but also by pupils from Sweden, Denmark and the West Indies.

But we are pleased to be able to add that the school was a failure. Wesley himself sadly admitted as much. His rules were too Spartan-like, and could not be successfully enforced. "The children," he made pathetic admission, "are not religious; they have not the power and hardly the form of religion. Neither do they improve in learning better than at other schools; no, nor yet so well. Inasmuch that some of our friends have been obliged to remove their children to other schools. And no wonder that they improve so little either in religion or learning, for the rules of the school are not observed at all; in consequence of which they run up and down the wood, and mix, yea, fight—with the colliers' children."

They ought never to play, but they do every day—yea, in the school.

He was convinced that the failure of his educational enterprise was owing to the lax observance of his rules. Very probably, however, it was because of the endeavor to enforce his rules. The child-mind rebelled against the unnatural yoke and there was no remedy for its passive resistance. The child mind was right, and the wise man was wrong. John Wesley was striving against nature and could not succeed. It is strange that a man with such broad sympathies and so profound a knowledge of human nature could have made such a huge blunder.

The word "sterling" as applied to money is said to be derived from "Easterling," a name for the Germans who traded with Britain in the twelfth and thirteenth centuries. Their money was of great purity; hence it was usual for the seller to stipulate for payment in pence or pounds "sterling."

Notwithstanding the much earlier discovery of the principle of the pendulum, the principle was not applied to clock-making in England at least, till the seventeenth century. Hence the long case did not come into use till comparatively late in the history of the evolution of the clock.

George Moore, aged 7, of West Ashling, Clonsilla, succumbed suddenly while on a ladder, and overbalanced, sustaining fatal injuries in the fall that he died shortly afterwards.

Polly Evans

Story Page

Skeleton Island

A long time ago there dwelt in a deep, dark forest an old man, who was known as Big Wave; his nephew, a little fellow, who was called Red Shell, and the boy's sister, who was called Wild Sage. Big Wave had adopted Red Shell and his sister some years before, when a great disease had carried off most of the members of their tribe.

Now they had only been a very short time with Big Wave when a giant, who dwelt on the Island of Skeletons, visited the deep woods one day and carried Wild Sage away.

Big Wave called Red Shell to him and said: "See that you go not toward the west, for the great giant has drawn a magic line of men in that direction, and should you cross it you, too, will be in the giant's power."

For a long time the boy obeyed, but finally he tired of his old playgrounds and wandered off into the west.

He was so absorbed that he did not notice when he had crossed the magic bounds and continued on until he reached the shores of a huge lake.

It was a beautiful place and Red Shell lingered, shooting arrows into the air and watching the shining ripples break upon the shore.

At last a man came up to him and asked him where his wigwam was.

When Red Shell had told him, the stranger proposed that they shoot arrows to see which could shoot the higher.

In the test which followed Red Shell easily came off first, for he was used to the bow and his muscles were strong. Then they jumped into the water, and again the boy proved himself victor in all the feats performed. They jumped out, and while they were lying on the shore the man told him of a beautiful land, whither he was bound, where the birds sang sweetly all day long and the woods were full of game.

"I will go with you to that land," said the boy.



The man smiled assent. Presently he stood up and began to sing. What was Red Shell's astonishment to behold a canoe come over the lake, drawn by six snow-white swans!

Mechanically, he climbed into the boat, the man sang lowly again and the swans pulled out.

The island toward which they glided was very long. Red Shell had never seen such thick underbrush. Triller every bush and tree was a pile of bones.

He asked the stranger what they were, and was told that the island was at one time a famous hunting ground, being full of game, and that the bones were the remains of slaughtered animals.

The man proposed that they swim again.

Red Shell gladly assented, stripped and dove into the cool water.

When he had come to the surface again, he saw the canoe disappearing in the distance, while the swans, instead of gliding back to him on the breeze, he shouted until he was hoarse, but the row was a pile of bones to him and floated out of sight.

Of a sudden he remembered his uncle's words about the magic line.

He was so thoroughly miserable at the thought of his fate, that he began to cry, and his tears fell into the water.

"Do not fear," went on the ghostly object. "Do me a little service and I will help you. Go to the foot of yonder tree, dig up around the roots on the east side and you will find a bag of tobacco and a pipe. Bring them and a bird to me."

Red Shell, although horribly frightened, did as he was told to do; procured the pipe and tobacco, and even a bird, and brought them to the ghostly object. It began to smoke immediately, drawing him the smoke with keen enjoyment, and he let it escape through the ribs.

When it had smoked for a time, it began to cough, and, drawing a sigh of relief, said: "Now I feel better, and in a condition will come with three dogs, to hunt you and find a nest of you. Get them off the trail by jumping as often as possible into the water on your way to a hollow tree which is in the sand, and when I will give you directions to reach. In this tree you must sleep. When they have gone and daylight is near, come to me."

Red Shell thanked the skeleton many times, and set out according to directions to find the hollow tree. Finally he found it, and, having done so, climbed up and went to sleep. Toward daylight he heard the dipping of oars and, peeping out, saw the giant and three dogs landing. Then the hunt began. They scented the trail from one tree to another, and dashed about wildly; but Red Shell had hidden his trail well and the dogs went back to their master hanging their heads.

The giant was so angry that he killed the foremost dog and drove the others down to the canoe. Then he passed on.



bling, crept back to the skeleton. "Leave no time," said the skeleton. "Go down to the shore and dig a pit in the sand. Lie there until the man steps out of his canoe and goes into the wood. Get in the boat yourself and tell the swans to bear you home. When you are safe, do not forget me!"

Red Shell did as he was bid. When the man had disappeared, the swans carried him down the lake to a cleft rock. Here he saw a beautiful maid drawing water. He recognized her as his sister and spoke to her.

She told him that she was kept captive by a giant, and at his request took him to the lodge where she lived.

Here he slept all night in a pit in the lodge corner, covered by buffalo skins.

Next morning the giant left the lodge early and Red Shell hurried his sister



from the shore when the giant caught sight of them and began to drink the lake dry. He drank such a quantity that he swelled up and could not move.

Red Shell threw a stone, which struck the giant and split him in two. Then Red Shell and Wild Sage went to the skeleton.

He told them to gather all the bones on the island and lay them together. When they had done this, Red Shell said: "Dead bones, arise!" And lo! the skeletons became living people, who hailed Red Shell as chief.

The handsomest brave of all of them was the one who had helped Red Shell. He wooed and was married to Wild Sage, and they all lived happily ever afterward, for Red Shell brought the whole tribe of people who had been skeletons to the island where dwelt his uncle, who had long mourned him as dead.

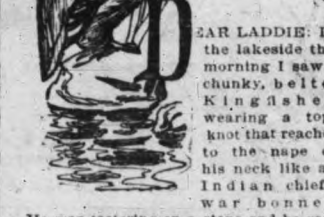
The Immovable Card



PROCURE a large visiting card, bend down the ends as you see them bent in the figure, and ask anybody to blow it over. On the face of it looks very easy of performance, but it will be tried unsuccessfully for hours. It can be accomplished, however, by blowing hard upon the table some distance from the card.



A Letter from a Kingfisher



HE was teetering on a stone and he rattled out something that sounded like "Teeter-ta-ta-ta-and-water." His tail wagged as he balanced himself. When he heard my step he cocked a suspicious eye at me, and when I stood perfectly still, as Ernest Thompson Seton tells us we must do if we would see the wild things behave just as they would do if we were not there. Then when he seemed to regard



me as a part of the landscape I went softly and cautiously toward him. He looked at me as he would have done at a tree trunk or a stone, so I boldly asked him: "Will you write a letter to a little boy I know?"

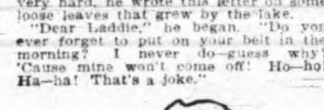
What do you think he said? "Is he a nice boy—does he ever throw stones at birds?"

"No, indeed," I said. "He loves all the wild things."

"Well, then, perhaps I will. What's his name?"

After he had scratched his head with his claw as though he were thinking very hard, he wrote this letter on some loose leaves that grew by the lake.

"Dear Laddie," he began. "Do you ever forget to put on your belt in the morning? I never do—guess why? 'Cause mine won't come off! Ho-ho! Ha-ha! That's a joke."



THE SPIRIT HORSE OF THE PAWNEES

RED WING rose from the waving marsh grass and, with a single backward glance, glided away. He had been a long and perilous watch. The Pawnee, hereditary and deadly enemies of his people, were camped over against a hill. His purpose was to get accurate knowledge of their forces, number of ponies, stock of provisions, etc., and, first of all, to ascertain whether or not of Rippin Brook, a maiden of his nation, was in the possession of the enemy.

He was a young brave, but learned and wise in the ways of his people; hardy and swift of foot, and burning with the desire to distinguish himself. Now, as he slid through the marshes his heart leaped with delight; not only had he caught a glimpse of Rippin Brook, but he knew to a man the number of Pawnees in camp and the number of their ponies.

When he had come to the outskirts of his own camp, he gave a whoop. Immediately he was surrounded. Then, in a dramatic way, he told his nation of his long trail and its reward. How he had found a print of the moccasin of Rippin Brook in the damp forest mud, how he had followed, dogged and dodged the Pawnees, until they struck camp in the forest border.

He unfolded quickly the plans he had made for attack and capture of the maid and her captors. It was decided to attack next day at sundown, by a circuitous route Red Wing led his band behind the Pawnee camp, that they might attack from the forest, in the rear and drive them out into the marshes. One feat alone Red Wing kept for his own glory, the rescue of the maiden.

Rippin Brook was standing by the campfire on the day of the attack, when she saw a movement of the grass. From the edge of the marsh, from the reeds the familiar face of Red Wing looked at her. With the instant action of the Indian, she looked away instantly and resumed her stirring of the pot. About a half hour later she went and sat near where the face had appeared.

Soon Red Wing spoke to her and she answered. After a short time she rose and went back to her wigwam. She was most careful to act naturally, as if nothing were on her mind.

As the hour before sundown approached she edged carefully toward the ponies. All of a sudden Red Wing rose from the ground at her feet and with a whoop sprang for the chiefs' pony, the whitest owned by the Pawnee nation, and catching up the maiden rode on the wings of the wind away from the Pawnee camp.

On every side sounded the war-whoops. Braves sprang wildly to the bare-backed ponies, riding savagely forward. All realized, however, that the effort was useless. The chief's pony was the pride of the people, unequalled for speed and vigor among the ponies of all the nations. Exultingly Red Wing bore the maiden to her people; exultingly he displayed his prize, the black pony. A sudden hush fell over the Redskins. The national medicine man examined the animal more closely, noted the white star on its forehead, then told them that Red Wing had brought the Spirit Horse of the Pawnees to his nation. He told them that once in every generation the Great Spirit sent to the Pawnees a horse to which he gave a spirit that it might be unequalled among the ponies of the earth. He also said that the Great Spirit had permitted the capture and desired to give the horse to their nation. Red Wing was lauded on every side. They gave him Rippin Brook for his squaw, and finally made him chief of the nation.

Disheartened at the loss of the spirit horse, the enemy, who had been victims to their enemies, who conquered them completely, and to whom they were subject for many moons.

LAKEVILLE, Kingsland Co. Blackbirds that make good plans. You look in the cook book and see if it doesn't say so—especially Crows; they are said to be very juicy. And, of course, oven birds are fine when baked."

I had been looking over his right wing as he wrote, and here I interrupted, looking him squarely in the eye: "Is this a fisherman's yarn, or is it a 'truly' story?"

He quailed before my glance and said: "It's a fisherman's yarn, but you can refer it to the Cricket if you like."

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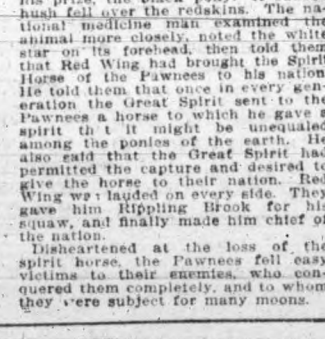
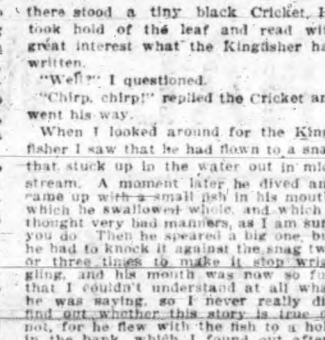
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The Adventures of Guy



ONCE on a time there was born in a woodchopper's hut a little boy who, as he grew up, came to be known as the laziest boy in the country. He never hunted or fished, he never played with his fellows. All day long he hung about the hut and never so much as fetched water.

Now the boy's parents were frugal and industrious, and they could not understand why they should have such a son.

One day his father said, sadly: "Son, one who is not strong enough to fetch water for his parents will never kill the Red Giant."

Now Guy, for that was his name—simply granted at this; but it set him to thinking, just the same, and he went off to bed.

The height of his ambition, as well as that of most of the young men he knew, was to kill the Red Giant, and he had spent countless hours planning just how the deed could be accomplished.

Next day he went into the forest and when dusk had fallen returned to the hut with four strong arrows, all of which he put away. He woke before daylight, secured his arrows and slipped stealthily out into the dawn, fearful of waking his parents.

On the threshold he paused long enough to vow never to return until he had slain the Red Giant.

At the entrance to the deepest forest passes he paused, undecided as to which road to take. Finally he shot an arrow into the air and followed the direction of its flight. All day long he journeyed and night found him hungry and tired.

He stumbled along, looking for a place to sleep, when, going into a by-path, he was overjoyed and astonished to find a dead stag lying across the path with an arrow in its side which he recognized at a glance as one of his



there stood a tiny black Cricket. He took hold of the leaf and read with great interest what the Kingfisher had written.

"Well," I questioned. "Chirp, chirp!" replied the Cricket and went his way.

When I looked around for the Kingfisher I saw that he had flown to a snag that stuck up in the water out in mid-stream. A moment later he dived and came up with a small fish in his mouth, which he swallowed whole and which I thought very bad manners, as I am sure you would have said a big one, but he had to knock it against the snag two or three times to make it stop wriggling, and his mouth was now so full that I couldn't understand at all what he was saying, so I never really did know whether this was a joke or not, for he flew with the fish to a hole in the bank, which I found out afterward was really his home.

As he was disappearing I called after him: "Aren't you going to say 'yours truly' or sign the letter—or anything?"

But all he did was to wigwag with his square tail, on which the white bars glimmered as he faded away, and this I took to mean "goodbye."

MARY HICKS VANDER BURGH.

He left the arrow where it was, cut off enough meat for supper and left the rest in the path. He passed the night under the stars and early next morning rose, shot off another arrow and followed its direction. What was his amazement to find another noble stag lying dead upon a path, with an arrow in its side which he recognized at a glance as one of the arrows from the dead body.

Going to the witch's hut, he gave her a piece of the head, but the rest he carried home to his village, for the Red Giant had been the terror of the country—eating women and children and whatever cattle he could find.

There was great rejoicing, and from being looked down upon as a worthless sort of fellow, Guy became the idol of his comrades.

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such a chirping and singing as to terrify the peasant lad.

She took Guy by the hand and led him to her hut.

He followed, terrified, and once inside the old witch took off her mantle and gave it several hard shakes. The skulls laughed loudly and the old hag chuckled in unison.

Finally she turned and told Guy that she knew of his determination to kill the Red Giant, and that she meant to help him. She murmured a few words and the lad felt his hair grow as long and soft and fine as a woman's. She touched his face with her staff and his skin became soft and fine.

A few more muttered words and he had assumed the dress of a maiden. She led him to the lake and he saw that he had the appearance of a beautiful girl.

Last of all, she stuck into his belt a blade of sword grass.

"Now," said she, "you must go to the cave of the Red Giant. He has been looking for a wife and, when he sees you, he will at once desire to marry you."

"Consent to marry him, let the ceremony take place, but keep strict watch for a chance to slay him. This you must do by cutting off his head with the sword grass."

All happened even as the witch said. Gnomes brought Guy to the giant, who immediately desired so beautiful a woman for his wife.

All went well, and the ceremony was almost over when the bridegroom's mother, seeing a fierce glint in Guy's eyes, cried:

"This is no woman! What woman has eyes like that?" Guy, pretending to feel greatly insulted, jumped up at once and, vowing that he had been insulted by his husband's people, started off through the woods.

Angry and grieved, the Red Giant followed all day in his trail, and when night came and Guy, from sheer exhaustion, sat down under a tree, Red Giant lay down close beside him, putting his head in the lap of his supposed wife.

Waiting an opportune moment, Guy drew out the sword grass and with a single stroke cut off the giant's head. Great strength came to him as soon as he had done this. He dropped his woman's guise and, seizing the head of the giant, ran lightly away toward his home.

Far away he could hear the hue and cry of those who had found the giant's body.

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A Burmese Merry Go Round



THE children of America, familiar only with the everyday wooden horses, tame-looking lions and sobras, etc., which make up our merry-go-rounds, would be almost afraid of the queer-looking animals which make the Burmese carousel a thing to wonder at. Carousels are fully as popular in Asia as in the United States, but they are differently constructed.

They consist of a tall thick standard from which radiate a number of beams, like wheel spokes. The animals are hung from the ends of these beams on ropes and are chained together. A man standing in the center swings the whole thing around. The carrousele so simply constructed, by contrast with our elaborate steam-run and gorgeously gilded affairs, are just as wonderful and afford just as much amusement to the dark-skinned little Burmese natives as do our kind to young Americans, and they are, if anything, more popular.



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BOWSER MAKES MIS-STATEMENTS

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ed by order-in-council, or by an act of parliament the ordinary layman will hold to the other view, and will look for a settlement of the points at issue, in both of these important questions, at the hands of the highest court of the land.

"No conveniences in the shape of wharves have been provided by the Dominion within the past fifteen years," said Mr. Bowser to the Colonist reporter. At least he is so reported and it is fair to assume that no reporter would himself make such a monstrous mis-statement; it is positively Bowserian in its audacity. Everybody knows, who knows anything about wharves in British Columbia (which will exclude the attorney-general), that previous to 1896, fifteen years ago, no ever built a wharf in British Columbia, and that since that time scores of wharves have been built in British Columbia by the Liberal government. Why should Mr. Bowser make these false statements? There are thousands of people who know them to be false. Does he suppose that he will make political capital by getting the Colonist to publish them, knowing that that paper does not consider it part of its duty to correct his misrepresentations any more than its own, and therefore the wrong impressions will not be removed?

In his references to protection to river banks Mr. Bowser is equally unvarnished. It is no part of the duty of the federal government to protect the banks of rivers from erosion in those provinces where, like British Columbia, it does not own the land, but it is its duty to improve and protect navigation in all navigable streams. The Dominion government has expended hundreds of thousands of dollars in protection works on the banks of the Fraser and Columbia rivers. Incidentally that work protected the banks from erosion. At Revelstoke the Dominion government expended large sums in protecting the banks and in constructing huge dams, of which every citizen of Revelstoke is well aware. Yet Mr. Bowser does not seem to know anything about that expenditure, or if he does know he suppresses the fact in order to deceive.

Mr. Bowser has gone to Ottawa to present the claims of the province for better terms to the Borden government. If, in presenting his case, he tells Mr. Borden what he told the reporter in Victoria, and Mr. Borden sends to the departments and gets statements which will refute every assertion made by Mr. Bowser, as is done in this article, what influence will Mr. Bowser have? Will he not at once be discredited? British Columbia surely has a case—a far better case than Mr. Bowser has made out in his talk to the reporters—and it will be a great pity if it is spoiled irrevocably by the vicious political partisanship of the bumptious and irresponsible attorney-general.

BORDEN SPEAKS AT HALIFAX

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the extension of our boundaries over the vast area which to-day constitutes Canada. In a country like Canada, with an enormous area and scattered population, the problem of transportation is of prime and vital importance, and you may rest assured that the Liberal-Conservative party which carried into effect the problem of binding together the provinces of Canada first by the Intercolonial Railway and afterwards by the Canadian Pacific Railway will be always alive to the vital importance of that and other problems. The policy of the Liberal-Conservative party as presented to the people in the recent contest is before you. Among some of its principal items are such encouragement of the great basic industry, agriculture, as will enable those who till the soil to derive the highest returns for their products, to turn out their products in the highest form, and at the same time preserve the fertility of the land. Hand in hand with this is the aid and encouragement which we propose for the purpose of establishing and maintaining permanent highways of a character suitable to our conditions. The regulation of our tariff upon reasonable business principles is an important article of our policy that is to be carried out by the establishment of a permanent tariff commission, which will ascertain all necessary facts in connection with the conditions and cost of production, and which will advise as to the conclusions which ought to be drawn from the facts so ascertained. We propose also to extend that reform of the civil service which we initiated while in opposition and which the late administration carried out in part upon our initiative. So far as trade relations are concerned, we believe that the true idea of reciprocity can be found within the vast Dominions of this empire, with its wonderful variety of natural and other products, which can be exchanged to the mutual advantage of all.

Hon. W. T. White's Campaign.
Ottawa, Nov. 3.—Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, opened his campaign in Leeds county, which he will represent in parliament, Mr. George Taylor having resigned in his favor, with a speech at the village of Lansdowne last night. Probably the most important feature of his address was the statement that no tariff changes are contemplated now, and that none will take place in future without careful inquiry. After thanking the people of Leeds and Mr. Taylor for providing him with a seat, Mr. White said that after the defeat of reciprocity he had returned to his desk with no thought of entering politics. He had been honored, however, by receiving an invitation from Mr. Borden to enter his cabinet, and he conceived it to be his duty to accept.

"No doubt," said Mr. White, "Mr. Borden had it in mind that in appointing me he would recognize the support

given him by tens of thousands of Liberals throughout Canada, which contributed so greatly to his success, but I also believe that he thought I might have special qualifications for the important position which he assigned to me."

Mr. White went on to say that he had been gratified by a broad-minded spirit in which his appointment had been received by the Conservatives of Canada, who had so cheerfully acquiesced in the choice of their leader. "In the great Liberal-Conservative party at Ottawa," he said, "I find myself truly in the home of friends." He had become a member of that party, and he was glad to say that he had gone in at the front and not at the back door.

"I have," said Mr. White, "been a financial man, but in view of my having accepted the position of finance minister I have discontinued my entire financial connection, and I desire to say to you that I am as free to serve you as any man in Canada, unfettered and untrammelled by any interest of any kind whatsoever. I am in entire sympathy with the farming community, having been born and raised in the country, and there is nothing of which I am more proud."

ATTEMPT TO WRECK EXPRESS TRAIN

Steel Rail, Ties and Stump of
Tree Placed on Railway
Track

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 3.—A deliberate attempt to wreck the Spokane & Inland express for Couer D'Alene, which left Spokane at 11:20 p.m. last Tuesday, was made at three places between Huetler and Couer D'Alene, it was learned to-day. A steel rail was placed across one of the main line ties and a stump placed at two other places within thirty yards of each other, a short distance from the steel rail.

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(Extract from Colonist Nov. 2)
Laying Ties—The B. C. Electric Railway Company has commenced to assemble a large quantity of ties at the intersection of Burnside road and Douglas street, preparatory to the commencement of the work of laying the same for the Saanich extension. The concrete base for the track has now set sufficiently to permit the work of putting down the ties to commence immediately.

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COCAINE VICTIMS ON THE INCREASE

"Snowbirds" Multiplying in Number in Both Canada and the United States

Cocaine, says an authority, is now the great looming danger of civilization, and despite determined efforts to prevent its use for other than medical purposes, the consumption is rapidly increasing. So common has the practice of snuffing cocaine become that the slang term "snowbirds" is well understood in the underworld to apply to the cocaine "fiends." Since its victims reveal in the white powder, the term is not ill chosen. What inroads the habit has made in Canada it is difficult to say, but it is fairly safe to assume that any fad or vice that claims many votaries on the other side of the line is sure to have some following here. The number usually preserving a constant ratio to the ratio of population in the two countries. There are druggists in Toronto, who could tell a tale about the "coke fiends" who are among their customers, and doctors who could speak of their flights to help some poor unfortunate break the terrible chains of the habit.

The authority mentioned is none other than Dr. William Jay Schieffelin, president of the National Wholesale Druggists' Association of the United States, president of the American Federation of Churches, the Lally League, the American Church Missionary Society, chairman of the Citizens' Union, the most powerful non-partisan political organization in New York state, and chairman of the New York Committee of the Laymen's Missionary Movement. He is a great social reformer, although his name does not get into print as frequently as that of some others, but more important, in the present case, he is one of the best authorities in the United States on all questions relating to the drug business. Dr. Schieffelin says that only one-eighth of the cocaine consumed in the United States can be traced through doctors and dentists, who alone are qualified to properly administer it. This estimate applies to the whole of the United States, but as the great majority of the cocaine "fiends" live in the larger cities, the proportion is much greater there. In Philadelphia, for instance, it has been calculated that 600 times as much cocaine is used by the victims of the drug as by the doctors and dentists.

Cocaine seems to possess the qualities of both narcotic and stimulant. As used by medical men and dentists it is a valuable local anaesthetic, especially helpful in minor surgery for treatment of the eyes, ears and throat. Its effect as a stimulant was described by Charles Kingsley in "Westward Ho." As used by the South American Indians it satisfies hunger, deadens fatigue, and makes breathing in high altitudes easy. The Indians obtained the drug by chewing the leaves of the coca plant, which is a small shrub that grows wild in the mountains of Peru and Bolivia, and has been cultivated, recently, in other parts of South America. Modern victims of the habit, however, never see the coca leaves. They get their concentrated essence in the form of a white, odorless, bitter-tasting powder known as cocaine. This is an alkaloid manufactured from the leaves, and is produced at the rate of ten ounces from every hundred pounds of dried leaves. Five factories in the United States are now at work manufacturing the deadly drug.

Cocaine is an expensive drug, and can be bought from the wholesaler for \$2.75 per ounce. It is retailed by those who make a business of ministering to the "snowbirds" at the rate of \$25 an ounce. A victim can and will use about \$5 worth of the drug a day if he is able to beg, borrow or steal the price of it. Certainly he cannot earn it, for the man who has fallen into the clutches of this terrible drug neither works nor sleeps, and will go without food for a long time. All sense of shame leaves the cocaine taker, and complete physical and moral degradation follow if they have not preceded the establishing of the habit. If the victim can stand the shock of being deprived of the drug for some months he may be cured, but this is the only doorway of escape. Two young men who were sent to prison for six months for stealing some of the powder were cured of the habit when they regained their liberty.

Dr. Schieffelin says that most reputable druggists in the large cities sell from one to three ounces a month to physicians; but that one Brooklyn druggist purchased 60 ounces in twenty days from a wholesale dealer, and an East Side druggist purchased 64 ounces in twenty-three days. He believes that only a small fraction of the druggists will knowingly sell the stuff to a "coke fiend," but even if only one were willing to make money by doing so in every city, the news would spread rapidly, and the victims would walk miles to buy it. The question must soon arise, if the habit continues to grow as it has done in the past few years, as to whether the manufacture of cocaine should not be altogether prohibited, and its possession made a felony.

SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST.

The discovery that there is a kind of struggle for existence and survival of the fittest among rivers is one of the most interesting results of the modern study of phylology. A notable example of this contest is exhibited by England's two largest rivers, the Thames and the Severn. Between their valleys lie the Cotswold hills, and exploration shows that the Severn, by eating backward among these hills, where softer strata underlie them, has diverted to itself some of the headwaters which formerly flowed into the Thames.

Silkworms fed on different leaves produce silks of different colors; thus vine-leaves produce a bright red, and lettuce an emerald green.

SAVED 1,000 LIVES Recent Death of Lifeboat Hero With Story of Adventures

Of those whose names will be inscribed on the scroll of fame none stands out more conspicuously than that of Laddie Woods, whose death, at the age of 70, will cause genuine sorrow from one end of the East Coast of England to the other. Dauntless in face of danger, modest, gentle, resourceful, he was as popular with visitors to Gorleston as with the men of the lifeboat, of which he was coxswain. He is reported to have saved 1,000 lives. Age necessitated his retiring from active service some ten years ago; but still he remained the hero of Gorleston and the sister towns of Yarmouth and Lowestoft, and among the folk there his name was the synonym for the highest type of lifeboat gallantry.

Love of life accompanied him into retirement, and his giant size made him a conspicuous and familiar figure on the Yarmouth beach, where he was popularly known as the chairman of the Jetty Parliament, a title given him by the coterie of old shellbacks who met and settled all local questions. The old man invariably wore a blue guernsey and pilot coat, and had an inexhaustible fund of reminiscences of thrilling adventures in which he had been an actor.

One of his most strenuous battles with the sea was in 1870, when a North Shields barque came ashore in South Ham and Gorleston Pier was covered with ice. The rockets could not carry the lines, and the ill-fated vessel parted amidships, and four only of the crew were saved. Woods, facing the terrible rush of the waves, headed out and saved one of the drowning men. On another occasion when the Yarmouth smack Chosen stranded on the north sands in an easterly gale of sleet and snow, the storm raged so furiously that the Gorleston lifeboat was unable to put out, but with ready resource Laddie Woods had her launched in the river and rowed to the Yarmouth side. Then he dived overboard, swam to the stranded vessel, and climbed aboard, buffeted the while by the waves. The fight was one of the toughest he ever engaged in, but at length he managed to fasten a line to a cork tender, which drifted ashore, and to which a stout line was heaved, and to which a cradle was affixed. By means of this the whole crew were brought safely ashore.

In a fierce storm on January 13, 1866, the sea was so furious that it capsized the Gorleston lifeboat Rescuer. The wind was off shore, and near the pier head the sea was calm, but directly the mainsail was hoisted it filled out, hove down the boat by the head, and she suddenly capsized under the rush of the breakers. None of the crew had put on their lifebelts, and of the twelve men eight were drowned. Laddie being the surviving survivor. One of Laddie's most valuable saving services was in the case of a ship which struck on Winterton Ridge and lost her stern post and rudder. Her cargo of fute was worth £80,000. Another exciting service in which he engaged was to the Lividia, 1,400 tons, of South Shields, wrecked on Cross Sands. She broke into three pieces, of which only the middle portion was above water when Laddie reached her. The crew of 26 were all lost, except two, and even as the lifeboat drew alongside one of these went mad and jumped overboard. The sole survivor proved to be a Yarmouth man named Tom Sewell.

The worst gale the old coxswain could remember was on March 24, 1895. It was a Sunday, and the terror of the day is still fresh in the memories of the older generation of fishermen. The wind registered a velocity of 86 miles an hour, but, despite the wind and sea, the lifeboat was launched, and her dauntless coxswain piloted her to the rescue of the barque Isabella, of Swansea, which had dragged both her anchors and went adrift. The tug brought into requisition was unable to tow the lifeboat, being herself in dire stress, and was scarcely able to weather the gale. The Isabella was reached close to the Bell buoy, and all hands were rescued.

One of Laddie's favorite reminiscences was how the coast was kept in bread and meat. A steamer struck and broke up on Winterton Ness. She was laden with flour sacks, which were thrown up on shore in large numbers. It was discovered that the salt water had only penetrated about half an inch, leaving the remainder of the flour dry. About the same time a Baltic vessel, carrying sheep, was wrecked. Laddie was wont to say with a sly smile that, thanks to the flour and mutton, the people along the shore lived during the rigorous winter "like fighting cocks."

Laddie's longest spell of duty was in 1884, when he took out the lifeboat at 11 p.m. of Sunday, November 14, in search of a ship that had shown signals of distress. She sailed right on to Haisborough Lightship, and then on to Leman and Over Float. Thence the lifeboat crossed to the Dudgeon, hailed her, and shortly after was abreast the Humber, without having sighted any vessel in distress. It was then Tuesday morning, and a fresh gale coming on, Laddie ran the boat into Grimsey. To use his own expression, he and his men lived from Sunday night till well into Tuesday on "rashers of wind," and a few biscuits which chanced to be aboard.

Perhaps Laddie's weirdest experience of all his many exciting adventures was the following. When he was out on a "fishing" trip, a Scotch smack went aground on Scroby. When we reached her we found the Yarmouth and Calster lifeboats making for her. She got off and bumped again. The crew were drunk, and one fool mad with liquor and flourishing a hatchet threatened to cut down the first man who came aboard. Then he had a go at the ringing and chopped through the forebayards and brought the fore-sail down on the top of the crew, when one of our chaps chambered aboard. "Scottie" came for him, but our man was a bit too quick for him, and seizing the wrist snatched away the hatchet and hurled it overboard. After a bit of "arguing" we got them into the lifeboat and rescued the lot of them.

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Scientists Hard at Work on Alchemist's Task With Prospects of Success

Manifold and various have been the processes and devices adopted by man in the long course of the ages to turn other elements into gold. The quest for the fabled philosopher's stone in the centuries preceding the Renaissance is one of the most curious examples of history furnishes of human credulity and the mental disturbance caused by the indulgence of vain and illusory hopes.

No doubt the quests of the alchemists resulted in substantial additions to human knowledge, for there may be traced therein the beginnings of the transmutation of metals.

Since the chemist succeeded the alchemist and separated fabulous notions from scientific facts, more wonderful things have been done than the old magicians dreamed of.

Nothing that has been achieved is more calculated to excite wonder than the extraction of gold from the ocean waves.

Dr. Oskar Nagel, an Austrian, has been describing to a scientific audience, which the precious yellow metal held in solution in the boundless deep has been recovered.

The veteran scientist, Sir William Ramsay, has been at work in the waters of the ocean with the same object.

The most famous project of this kind was taken into operation thirteen and a half years ago. Although no lecturer in the guise of a scientist attempted to tell of his method before the American Chemical Society, the undertaking had some atmosphere of sincerity because its promoter was a gentleman of the cloth, the Rev. P. F. Jernegan.

The latter-day device, entirely scientific and home-fide in its nature, Dr. Nagel described in a paper entitled "The Recovery of Metals From Extremely Dilute Solutions." It was a modest discourse that he delivered in ten minutes before the New York section of the American Chemical Society. Into a wash boiler Dr. Nagel poured a solution containing one part of gold in 100,000 parts of salt water, and then with the aid of an apparently miraculous funnel he asserted that he was getting all the gold out again. This funnel was lined with blast furnace slag that had been treated just before the experiment with a warm, dilute solution of copperas. This made the slag pick up the gold in a wonderful way, he explained, although he did not explain in a chemical way what took place. Part of the process, he said, was a secret and the rest he really didn't understand himself.

There was a secret process in the Rev. Jernegan's plan. It was all secret, really. But it was very simple. No one but the Rev. Jernegan and two associates fully understood how simple it was. Capitalists interested were told that the process was partly chemical but mainly electric. They supervised the experiments themselves, buying their own chemicals, which they saw put into the receptacle, and testing the batteries which were to do the work under water. The receptacle was then lowered and the capitalists kept a diligent watch all night. This was longer than necessary, for if they had known it took a diver only a very few minutes to crawl under the wharf and salt the pot.

All the gold that Jernegan got by the process came from the pockets of his dupes. It all stayed in his. Then at the psychological moment he disappeared. The amount that he took with him was estimated at something like \$100,000. Some believed that he was blackmailed by others and did not get all that seemed to have gone to him. Later he restored some \$85,000, and he eventually turned up in the Philippine Islands, where he claimed employment from the government as a school teacher. Even after his flight doubt was not cast on the electrolytic method of abstracting gold from the ocean until one of his confederates confessed.

The inside story of Jernegan's venture came from William Phelan, a detective in New York. An acquaintance of his, who was a professional diver, but had a position as a floorwalker in a Brooklyn dry goods store, introduced Jernegan to him as a man who had invented a process for making money out of the ocean. Phelan was told that some detective work was required of him, and he accompanied them. Experiments were begun at Providence, R. I. It appeared Phelan had been selected simply as a man in whose trustworthiness complete confidence could be placed. There was no detective work to do, but Phelan helped his friend put on a diving suit and make topographical investigations of the bottom of the bay at a conveniently lonely place.

It appears that preparations were being made for the recovery of two men from Middletown, who were capitalists in a small way. One was a jeweler and the other a florist. The idea was to paralyze them by producing gold from sea water before their eyes. There was a little rocky island off the shore of the bay, just opposite a wharf. The water was only from seven to nine feet deep. A cable was laid from the island to the wharf along the bottom, so that a man in a diving suit might easily cross under water.

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All night that brace of doughty capitalists from Middletown, Conn., kept vigil. It was February and bitter cold, but golden dreams warmed them through the long hours. In the morning they drew up the box. Some of the mercury had eaten its way out of the box and been lost, but what re-

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FIRST CASE OF KIND IN PROVINCE

Conductor Prosecuted for Allowing Passenger to Ride on Step of Car

Vancouver, Nov. 2.—For the first time in the history of British Columbia a street car conductor was prosecuted in the police court for allowing passengers to ride on the steps of his car contrary to the terms of the Tramways Act. William Patterson was the conductor and he was in charge of a Westminister interurban car on the evening of Sept. 11, when a man named William Williams was badly injured in an accident.

The prosecution was instituted by the attorney-general of the province, who was represented in court this morning by Mr. W. E. Burns. A. E. Beck, solicitor for the B. C. Electric Railway Company, conducted the defence.

The story of William Williams, the injured man, was that he had boarded the car at the Carrall-street depot. He got both feet on the bottom step. "The car overran the switch and was backing up to take the switch again," said he. "A city car was coming east. I did not see it. When the cars met the two men standing on the step with me were crossed back and I was pressed out and rolled between the two cars. The witness admitted that he had boarded the car while it was in motion. He did not see the conductor.

Robert Morgan, who was standing on the street at the time, saw the accident. He saw the conductor give the signal to back up; saw the Harris street car coming and knew at once an accident was inevitable. The conductor at the time was standing on the rear fender of the car and had to reach inside to ring the bell. In the opinion of the witness no more passengers could have crowded on the steps or in the vestibule.

W. McCartney, who was with Mr. Morgan on the street, gave similar evidence. He added, however, that the motorman of the Harris street car rang his horn as a warning to the men standing on the step of the Westminister car.

Police Constable Alcock, who was on point duty at the corner of Carrall and Hastings streets at the time of the accident, told of seeing Williams board the car and swore that the steps and vestibule were crowded. He thought there might have been twenty people on the rear platform and steps of the car.

Mr. Beck read a section from the street traffic bylaw in which it was declared illegal for anyone to ride on the steps of a street car and then asked the policeman why he did not prosecute the two men. "The policeman replied that he had something else to do and it would be impossible for one man to keep the people off."

"We have no interest in letting people ride on the steps," said Mr. Beck.

"What's that?" said Mr. Burns.

GOOD ROADS WILL BE DISCUSSED

Large Number of Delegates Expected at Convention at New Westminster

New Westminster, Nov. 2.—The good roads convention which opens in this city to-morrow and continues until Saturday evening, will probably be one of the largest efforts of its kind, in gathering together persons having the good roads movement at heart.

The object of the gathering is educational as well as instructive. In lectures which will be delivered, telling how the good roads work is being carried on in many sections of the country. It is the aim to interest as many as possible in the work in western Canada and it is hoped that at some future date there will be a national Canadian highway from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The building of good roads in British Columbia is probably the most important matter to be taken up at the present time, also the extending of roads already existing. The securing of a uniform speed limit in all provinces is also a subject to be considered.

Many prominent and influential men from the various provinces and the United States will be present at the convention.

William J. Roberts, highway commissioner of Washington state, stationed at Olympia, and Will R. White, chief engineer of the state highway department, will be present on Friday and will probably address the meeting on the permanent Highway Law, now in operation in the State of Washington and which now supercedes the State Aid Law. He will also explain the work which is now being carried on in nine counties in Washington. Mr. Roberts does not expect to be present until Saturday. He will tell of the preparations for proposed highways. Alderman Rutten, of Port Arthur, Ont., has been appointed to attend as delegate from that city. The distance which he will travel shows the immense amount of interest which is being taken in this great work in all sections of Canada. Councillor Allen, chairman of the board of works of North Vancouver, will attend as delegate from that city. There will also be representatives from all the other cities on the coast as well as the numerous automobile associations. W. J. Kerr, first vice-president of the Westminister Automobile Association, has been instrumental in securing the convention for this city.

The delegates will be entertained during their stay here by auto trips to different sections of the Fraser valley and also a trip to the new two million dollar insane asylum which is being constructed near here.

WILL OPEN UP FAMOUS MINE.

Nelson, Nov. 2.—Supported by a group of Spokane capitalists W. E. Zwickey, manager of the Rainier-Cariboo mine, is preparing to open up the famous Payne mine in the Shocan, a property which at one time ranked among the greatest producers in the province. Already Mr. Zwickey has a force of men at work cleaning out the tunnels and carrying on other work preparatory to operating the mine.

The Payne mine was located on Sept. 3, 1891, by E. H. Carpenter and Jack Seaton. They sold it to Steve Bailey for \$20,000, who disposed of it after some development had been carried on, to A. W. McCune for \$125,000. Mr. McCune, it is said, took a million dollars' worth of ore out of the mine and then sold it to an eastern company, from whom Mr. Zwickey has taken a bond, for \$1,000,000.

The development of the mine under Mr. Zwickey's management will probably include the driving of a lower tunnel.

FIRE AT STEVESTON.

Steveston, Nov. 1.—C. H. Willwater's butcher shop, located on the corner of Second and Monckton streets, was totally destroyed by fire the other morning.

The alarm came in at 3:30 o'clock when the fire brigade and many private citizens turned out. For a time it looked as if the fire might spread, for Steveston's lively stable caught on. The blaze was, however, confined to the butcher shop. The loss is \$12,000.

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Notice is hereby given that on the first day of December next application will be made to the Superintendent of Police for renewal of the hotel license to sell liquor by retail in the hotel known as the Howards Hotel, situated at Esquimalt, in the Province of British Columbia.

Dated this 11th day of October, 1911.


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president; and W. P. Murray, secretary. The department is out of debt at the present time, but it will require about \$200 to pay some expenses that will be incurred shortly.

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A competitive examination will be held in November next at the examination centre of the Civil Service Commission for the entry of Naval Cadets for the Naval Service of Canada; there will be 25 vacancies.

Candidates must be between the ages of 14 and 16 years on the 1st of January next; must be British subjects and must have resided, or their parents must have resided in Canada for two years immediately preceding the examination; short periods of absence abroad for purpose of education to be considered as residence.

Successful candidates will join the Royal Naval College at Halifax in January next; the course at the College is two years and the cost to parents, including board, lodging, uniform and all expenses, is approximately \$400 for the first year and \$250 for the second year.

On passing out of College, Cadets will be rated Midshipmen, and will receive pay at the rate of \$2 per diem.

Parents of intending candidates should make application to the Secretary Civil Service Commission, Ottawa, before 15th October next.

Further information can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Department of Naval Service, Ottawa.

Unauthorized publication of this notice will not be paid for.

J. J. DESBARATS, Deputy Minister of the Naval Service, Department of the Naval Service, Ottawa, August 1st, 1911.

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LOCAL NEWS

For Hockey Trophy—Percy Richardson has very generously agreed to donate a trophy for competition amongst the four senior ice hockey teams in Victoria. It will take the shape of a handsome silver cup.

Old Engine Models.—There is now on exhibition in the Northern Pacific Railway Company's offices, Government street, beside the scale model English locomotive, an unique collection of ancient and modern locomotives.

Hussey Bequest.—The chief of the city police this morning received the bequest left by the late superintendent of provincial police, G. F. Hussey, to the city policemen's fund. It consists of a cheque for \$500 and was sent on by the executors of the estate.

Real Estate Exchange.—The roll of charter members will be closed at a meeting of the real estate exchange to be held in the board of trade rooms next Wednesday afternoon. It is stated that all reputable agents in the city, who have not already joined, have signified their intention of becoming members.

Centennial Adult Bible Class.—The monthly business meeting was held at Mr. Murgatroyd's home, Douglas street, on Wednesday, when various encouraging reports were submitted. The class now has 63 members in good standing, with a weekly attendance of 45. The class finances were reported in good shape.

East End A. C. Dance.—All arrangements have now been completed for the East End Athletic Club dance, which takes place to-night at the A. O. U. W. hall. Willie's five-piece orchestra will render the music from 9 to 2. The hall has been artistically decorated. The club intend to make this rank among the best.

Get In the Game GET IN TO WIN

There are many firms pegging away kicking up a little dust occasionally by a bit of sporadic advertising—getting more business—then going back to the same old gait, and wondering why a progressive neighbor gets the trade.

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The Times is a true vehicle of publicity. It holds the confidence of its subscribers.

It reaches the people who have money to spend, the people whom you have to look to, Mr. Advertiser, for the maintenance and growth of your business.

If you're in the game to win, you need The Times' assistance.

THE TIMES

Cor. Fort and Broad Sts., Victoria

BEATRICE'S MASTER AND MATE SUSPENDED

Captain Robertson Loses Certificate for Three Months and Mate Hines for Six

The suspension of George D. Robertson's master's certificate for three months and the suspension of John Hines' first officer's certificate for six months was ordered this morning by the court of marine enquiry which sat last week to enquire into the cause of the stranding of the steamer Princess Beatrice at Noble Island, B. C., October 14, 1911. The court of enquiry consisted of James Gaudin, wreck commissioner; C. Eddie, nautical assessor, and John T. Walbran, assessor.

The court finds that the wreck was due to the thoughtlessness of John Hines who was the officer on watch at the time of the accident, and who was relieved by Knight Watchman Robinson, who was known to be suffering from deafness, and who in disobedience to rules and regulations issued by the C. P. R. as well as the instructions given by the master before retiring, "not on any account to leave the wheel house without calling his attention to the fact." Notwithstanding these instructions, Mr. Hines left the bridge with the helm in the becket, the ship swinging on a starboard helm to her destruction, without assuring himself that his instructions to steady the helm at east had been properly understood.

The finding continues: "With regard to the actual stranding of the vessel, this court has no doubt that it was the outcome of pure negligence on the part of the first officer, Mr. Hines, apparently attributable to laxity of discipline. The suspension of the officer's certificate dates from October 10th, 1911."

With regard to the master of the vessel the finding says: "The court is of the opinion that Capt. Robertson committed a grave dereliction of duty by not being personally in charge of the ship in a narrow channel subject to frequent change of course. The evidence shows that the vessel was lying in Namu harbor for about seven hours when the master could have availed himself of this opportunity for necessary rest."

"The custom of the master giving over charge of the deck to an officer and leaving verbal instructions, the nature of which might lead such an officer to hesitate in carrying them out under the impression that in so doing he might engender a feeling of doubt in the mind of the master as to his (the officer's) capabilities as a navigator, is unsatisfactory."

The court considers that the master's instructions to the officer in charge at night should be specific to eliminate all chance of the officer accepting the responsibility of piloting the vessel in narrow or dangerous waters.

The suspension of the captain's certificate dates from October 14. The finding also urges that an additional light and fog horn alarm should be established at some point on the northern shore of the channel.

FRISCO'S MARINE NEWS.

Names of Tramp Steamers to Carry Coal Announced—Several Other Charters.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 3.—The six British tramp steamers reported a few days ago as chartered by the government to load coal at an Atlantic port for San Francisco, are the Strathgyle, Strathleven, Strathglen, Strathglen, Strathglen and Strathglen. All were fixed at the low rate of \$5.44 per ton.

The schooner Encore, at Caleta Colosa discharging lumber, has been chartered by Hind, Ralph & Co. to load on the Sound, the Columbia river or Willapa harbor for Valparaiso for orders at \$25.64.

The schooner Admiral, now at Valparaiso, has been chartered by W. R. Grace & Co. to load lumber for the same port with option of going to Mexican ports.

The Watson and Bee left for the Sound Wednesday, and the steamer Thor and the Klammath arrived. The steamer Curo arrived from Mexico and the Acapulco and the steamer Pennsylvania from Balboa.

MARINE NOTES.

The Blue Funnel liner Onafra is reported as arriving at Hongkong from Victoria Wednesday.

Bringing a full cargo of general freight from Seattle and Tacoma, the steam schooner Fulton will arrive in port to-morrow morning.

Bringing shipments of fresh fish and salted herring, the steamer Northland, of the Northland Steamship Co., arrived at Seattle to-day from Alaska.

With her boilers leaking badly the United States revenue cutter Rush is bound for Seattle from Juneau. The vessel is sailing only in the daytime on account of her condition. She will be repaired upon her arrival here.

With her cargo of lumber from Puget Sound, the British steamship Damara is reported as having arrived at Buenos Ayres Monday. The Damara took a list while loading and lost part of her deckload into the Sound and was slightly damaged as a result of the mishap. Evidently she has had no difficulty in making her long voyage. She left Tacoma September 7.

Month's Cruelty Cases. The following cases were dealt with during the month of October by the S. P. C. A.: 13 horses (one condemned), 4 dogs, 1 cow and 1 fowl.

DAIRY COMMISSION TO BE APPOINTED

Provincial Government Will Look Into Conditions of Dairy Herds

J. A. Ruddle, Dominion dairy commissioner, who left on the afternoon boat, had a conference this morning with Hon. Price Ellison, minister of agriculture, and in the course of the conversation the minister announced that the provincial government had decided to appoint a dairy commission to examine into the condition of the industry in British Columbia.

The intention is to act in conjunction with the provincial board of health in examining into the prevalence of tuberculosis in cattle, and to safeguard the milk supplies of the cities of this province. Dr. Fagan has made exhaustive inquiries recently into the condition of the dairies in the province, and the possibilities of infection, and it is known that his representations to the government have weighed in the decision to examine into the conditions pertaining in this province.

The whole state of the herds has raised some apprehension, particularly on Vancouver Island, where, it is thought, the industry has not developed as it should, owing to the difficulty of securing adequate feed, and the government has decided to look into the situation accordingly in its broadest standpoint.

NEW PREMIER OF CHINA RESIGNS

Washington, D. C., Nov. 3.—Yuen Shi Kai has resigned the office of premier of China, his reasons for so doing being not made public.

The throne has issued an edict proclaiming a new legislature, demanded by the National Assembly on the lines of the English government system, according to dispatches received here.

German Marines Landed. Berlin, Nov. 3.—Dispatches received to-day from Tsin, Tao, in German Kia Chiao, announced that 50 German marines have left there to strengthen the foreign guard at Tien Tsin, the port of Peking, which is now crowded with refugees.

Mutiny of Constabulary. London, Nov. 3.—A news dispatch from Shanghai says the native constabulary of Chapeica, suburb of Shanghai, which forms part of the Chinese quarter, mutinied to-day and burned the police station and the residence of the chief of police. Foreign volunteers were mobilized to maintain order.

After the revolutionaries took possession of the native city of Shanghai they notified the foreign consuls that a provisional republican government had been established.

BOYS' HALLOWEEN PRANK.

The janitor at the North Ward school, P. A. McLean, will have cause to remember the Halloween of 1911, as a foolish prank of some boys has cost him a thumb, and left him in great pain, in consequence of which he is not expected to be about for three or four weeks. Some boys tied a sign board and some debris at the top of the school flagpole, and when Mr. McLean attempted to remove same next morning the sign detached, and struck his thumb, as it fell to the ground. The severed portion was subsequently found in the playground. Medical attention was secured, and it was deemed advisable to amputate the bone of the digit and Mr. McLean will be laid up for some time in consequence. The police have the matter in hand.

PERSONALS.

R. C. Brumpton, of Red Deer, is a visitor to the city.

C. Nickelson, of Vancouver, is visiting the city on business.

D. Nicholson, ex-mayor of Lady-smith, is in the city for a brief period.

R. D. Riley, of Tacoma, is a visitor to the city, and is registered at the Westholme hotel.

P. W. Holdsworth, of Halifax N. S., is a visitor to the city and is registered at the King Edward hotel.

Miss E. Malpass, a member of the staff of the King Edward hotel, is leaving for her home in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Henderson, of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting in the city, and are registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid, of New Westminster, are guests at the Dominion hotel. Mr. Reid is a school trustee, and former alderman of the Royal City.

Mrs. W. O. Hughes of 2643 Blanchard St., returned home last evening via Quebec, after several months' visit to friends in England, having spent a very pleasant holiday.

Thomas Reid and family arrived yesterday in Victoria, and are guests at the Dominion hotel. With Mr. Reid's departure from the Klammath district of Sitka, the associations of his ancestors with the Borden farm for three hundred years ceases, and the estates are passed into other hands. Mr. Reid already has a brother settled in Vancouver Island, J. Dunlop Reid, at Glenora, Metehosin. Mr. Reid has previously paid a visit to the island.

Port Hope, Ont., Nov. 3.—Fire broke out at 11:30 last night in the Sisson block at Bethany, burning Jackson's grocery and butcher shops, Sisson's barber shop, the town hall, Charles Reynolds's undertaking and hardware shops and T. G. Breton's drug store, here, to-day.

LIBERAL MANIFESTO NEARLY COMPLETED

Ontario Provincial Party Will Contest Every Seat in Coming Election

Toronto, Nov. 3.—It is probable that the new platform of the Provincial Liberal party will be completed to-night or to-morrow and at once made public. The special sub-committee, working in conjunction with N. W. Rowell, K. C., made good progress last night and after Mr. Rowell goes over the completed platform it will be published as a manifesto. It is probable that mention will be made of the abolition of the three-fifths clause which, as the party may wait for Mr. Rowell's report before taking action on that question. The question, however, will be one of the main planks in the platform. The abolition of the three-fifths clause will be demanded, as it has been demanded in the legislature for the past five years, and other advanced legislation will be included.

The question which faces the party now is as to where Mr. Rowell will get a seat. Apparently none of the present eighteen Liberals in the legislature are anxious to retire in favor of Mr. Rowell, although strong pressure is being brought to bear on J. C. Elliot of W. Middlesex. It is said also that Mr. Rowell may contest North Toronto. Mr. Rowell has issued orders that every constituency in the province must be contested. He wants no Conservatives returned by acclamation.

MAYOR OF FERNIE READS RIOT ACT

Action Results in More Peaceful Conditions—Alleged Intimidation

Fernie, B. C., Nov. 3.—The reading of the riot act, last evening, by Mayor Broadwell seems to have marked the high tide in the excitement here over the strike situation and things are assuming a more peaceful attitude. President Powell arrived from Coleman to-day and is doing all he can to keep things quiet.

The charges against Sweeney and Linn, the two men arrested for intimidation the day before yesterday, are to be heard this afternoon and the Barr family did not go to the mines to-day, being witnesses in the cases against the two men.

MINE LAYER IN PORT.

To load some supplies and stores, the U. S. mine layer, Major Samuel Ringold arrived at the outer docks last night from Seattle and left this morning for Friday Harbor. This was the first visit the little craft has paid to Victoria and she is one of the newest vessels of the U. S. naval department on the Sound.

HUNT CLUB MEET.

An attractive programme has been arranged for the Victoria Hunt Club run to-morrow afternoon. The course will be over the Pemberton Meadows, with some good jumps and gallops. The members will leave the intersection of Rockland avenue and St. Charles street at 2:30 p. m. On the roads the members are asked to ride slowly. Those in automobiles will be able to see a large portion of the run, and are cordially invited.

MORAN'S TO EXTEND PLANT.

Eastern Capitalists to Become Interested in Great Shipping Concern.

Seattle, Nov. 3.—The reorganization of the Moran Company, shipbuilders, with an addition of \$1,000,000 of eastern money to the capital and the enlargement of the shipyards here, is contemplated in a friendly suit begun by Bertram, Griscorn & Jenks of New York to foreclose the payment of a \$500,000 mortgage, secured by first mortgage bonds, held by the New York firm.

W. H. Bogle, who represents Bertram, Griscorn & Jenks in the matter, said yesterday that the suit is of a friendly nature and that it will result in the reorganization, refinancing and enlargement of the Moran Company. The additional capital to be put into the shipbuilding company is available in the hands of Bertram, Griscorn & Jenks, who, in addition to being the largest bondholders of the Moran Company, are its heaviest stockholders. Between \$400,000 and \$500,000 of the new capital will be used in building a new drydock, capable of taking any ship that comes to Puget Sound; \$250,000 will be used to install new machinery and the remainder will be used for working capital. The details of the reorganization have been worked out and as soon as the legal steps have been settled, work on the new drydock is to begin. It is expected that the new drydock and machine shops will be completed this winter.

The company since 1907 has paid no dividends even on the preferred stock. The plan of reorganization contemplates that the company will not only be able to carry all its fixed charges, but pay something to its stockholders.

Imperial Junction, Cal., Nov. 3.—Aviator Rodgers hopes to resume his flight about four o'clock this afternoon. He cannot, however, reach Pasadena, 171 miles from here, to-day.



You Want to Make Money Quickly Don't Overlook These

Shelburne St., 40x171, near Bay St. \$975
Victoria Ave., Oak Bay \$750
Big Snap on Long Branch Ave., Oak Bay, 60x110, to lane. \$1000
James Bay, on Battery St. near Douglas St. \$2800
Kingston St., near Belleville St. \$2500
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POLICEMAN POISONED.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Professor Russell Haynes of Rush Medical College reported to Coroner Hoffman to-day that he had found abundant arsenic in Policeman Arthur Bissonnette's liver to cause death. Immediately after the announcement that Bissonnette's death was caused by poisoning, Chief of Police McSweeney prepared to swear out a warrant for Mrs. Louise Vermylia, charging her with the murder of Arthur Bissonnette and Richard Smith, an Illinois Central conductor, who died mysteriously while a roomer at Mrs. Vermylia's house.

SAYS MINER IS IN CANADA.

Colaba, Ont., Nov. 3.—According to Chas. Lellis, a Nevada mining man, old Bill Miner, the notorious jail breaker, who escaped from Georgia state prison not long ago, passed through Colaba yesterday morning. Lellis sat opposite him in a day coach all the way from Toronto, where Miner got on the train, but did not speak to him, but says Miner was well known to him 10 years ago and had scarcely changed.

DIED

LOWE.—At the family residence, 2334 Graham street, Robert Lowe, R.N.R., late chief engineer S.S. Hokitika, married and a native of Port Hammyrie, Bute, Scotland.

The funeral will take place from the above address on Saturday, November 4, at 2 p. m., where service will be held. Friends please accept this intimation. (Japan, China and Scotch papers please copy.)

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY FOR THE MOST POPULAR FORM OF ADVERTISING IN TOWN TRY THIS COLUMN

LOST—Gold basketball medal. Finder please return to 905 North Park street. Reward. n5

WANTED—Good general servant. Known to all. Apply to J. J. Cookley, n5

HAIRNET ROAD—One minute to Burnside, two frontages, high, prominent location. \$5,120. 1-3 cash, balance easy. L. W. Bick. n5

WANTED—Respectable young man as deliveryman. D. W. Hanbury, baker, Fort street. n5

TO RENT—Nice, modern cottage, 5 rooms, good lawn and garden. James Bay, \$25 per month; immediate possession. By appointment, P. O. Box 290, n5

COWICHAN STREET—2 lots at only \$675 each, 1-3 cash, balance arranged, 1211, corner of Bay and Avebury, for \$1,000, on terms. Crompton & Barton, 129 Pemberton Block. n5

WOODLAND ROAD, FAIRFIELD 6 room, new house, all modern, for \$4,000; \$1,000 cash, balance arranged, Crompton & Barton, 129 Pemberton Block. n5

CAHALAN—Comfortable winter home for paying guests; opposite lake, Beacon Hill park, 325 Douglas St. Phone 1805; n5

HAMPTON ROAD—50x175, beautiful lot, \$600 cash, or \$500 on terms. L. W. Bick. n5

WOULD YOU LIKE to make a nice profit before Xmas? \$50 will buy two lots close in, that are below market value. W. H. Reynolds & Co., 30 Times Building, Phone 284. n5

GLASGOW AVE.—Near new car barns, 20x28, only \$800; 1-3 cash, arrange easy. L. W. Bick. n5

DURBAN STREET—Two nice ones at \$1,200, and one on May at \$1,000. W. H. Reynolds & Co., 30 Times Building, Phone 284. n5

ORILLIA STREET—6x125, unrivaled view, high and level, only \$750; 300 feet from Burnside road car line. See us to-day for best terms. L. W. Bick. n5

TO RENT—About 15th lot, 10 room, modern house, large corner lot, Victoria West, or will sell \$1,000 less than its true value. Apply at once. Pioneer Realty, 510 Fort street. n5

MONTEREY AVE.—50x150, only \$1,050; cheapest on the street; 1-3 cash, balance easy. L. W. Bick. n5

RENT \$60.—To a substantial and careful tenant, beautifully furnished residence, every modern convenience, in select locality, can be rented for a few months. P. O. Box 123. n5

OAK BAY AVE.—50x125, only \$1,250. Can be sold at this value? 1-3 cash, arrange balance. L. W. Bick. n5

CAN PLACE OUT \$400 or \$500 as part payment on some real snap of investment in Victoria real estate, prefer to deal with owners, who will please give full particulars to Investor, P. O. Box 123, city. n5

HAMPSHIRE ROAD—Beautiful, level lot, running to a lane, only \$50 and \$50; 1 cash, balance two years. L. W. Bick. n5

FOR SALE—Six room, modern cottage, two days only, price moderate, terms easy, one lot or three, near Douglas street car line. Apply Maywood P. O. n5

OAKLAND ROAD GOLF LINKS—Three choice lots, shade trees and grassy, only \$50, best of terms. L. W. Bick. n5

CHANCE OF A LIFE TIME to secure beautiful, new, 7 roomed, modern cottage, in best part of Fairfield Estate; actual cost was \$5,000, but must have cash, and will offer for one week only for \$4,200; \$500 cash, Box 528, Times. n5

HOLLYWOOD PARK—Crescent road, all improvements in, 50x250, like a lawn, only \$1,500; 1 cash, balance 1 year. L. W. Bick. n5

FINEST APARTMENT SITE IN CITY.—120 ft. frontage on Cook near Fort street; price \$21,000, on easy terms. O. H. Bowman & Co., 112 Government St. Phone 54. n5

EVERYBODY NEEDED to help the pupils of the public schools to get the medals they deserved. Read "An Enquiry" in the Victoria Daily Times of November 1, page 13. J. N. Muir. n5

WANTED.—To rent, exceptionally well furnished house, where owner is desirous of good care. Phone 1425. n5

WANTED.—A good, capable woman, to wash 1 day a week, good place for eight years. Phone 1425. n5

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS.—Also one room for 2 gentlemen. 215 Hillside. n5

A \$100 CASH PRIZE is offered by the Royal Geographic Society, 45 Bayward Building, the only teachers of the Royal Simplified Shortland school in B. C. This competition is open to beginners only who apply for particulars up to Nov. 20th. The prize will be given on Dec. 23rd, and the name of the winner published. n5

DON'T OVERLOOK the Longland subdivision, next to Garden City; seven lots sold yesterday. Call and let us show you these beautiful houses, overlooking the Gorge. Car line through property. Lots \$500 for \$300, on very easy terms of 5, 12, 18, 24, 30 months. Leeming Brothers, Limited, 324 Fort street. Phone 748 and 573. n5

\$100 FOR A NAME.—What's in a name? A rose by any other name would smell as sweet. Do you want to give your name a fitting name—for your picturesque new subdivision? This property is situated at the junction of Burnside and Heinemann roads, on the beautiful Portage Inlet. We will pay the sum of one hundred dollars to the person who suggests the most suitable name of this subdivision before the 15th of November. Six names may be suggested by each person. Call at our office for competition envelope. R. B. Elliott-Eimer R. 815, 120 Douglas street. n5

CHEAP LOT on Hollywood Crescent, about 10 ft. water front, only \$150. Beckett & Major, 126 Langley street, n5

TO OWNER ONLY.—Wanted, by a gentleman from England, properties in the best positions, give full particulars "England," care of Eastern Township Bank. n5

ALL TRADE UNIONISTS WANTED at Labor Hall, Sunday, 8 p. m., to discuss musicians' dispute. n5

ENGLISHWOMAN wishes for a position of trust, practical nurse, care of invalid, children, or no objection to travel, domestic help, good references. Apply Box 529, Times. n5

TEAMSTER DESIRE JOB in city, 3 years' experience in city. Box 578, Times. n5

FOR RENT.—To purchaser of furniture, beautiful, modern home, near sea and cars, paying proportion, bargain. Apply Box 512, Times. n5

EXPERIENCED DRESSMAKER wants work by the day. 1501, 1774 Seaside avenue, Richmond road. n5

LINDEN AVE.—Four new houses just being finished. Price, cheap. Corner Charles and Edmond streets, new modern house, Price \$1,900. Rudlin street, 8 roomed house, Price \$5,000. Easy terms. The McDonald Realty Co., Room 8, Frontis Block. n5

THREE CHOICE BUILDING LOTS near Burnside road, on Tillicum road, 150 feet frontage by 133 feet; city water is laid past these lots; for a few days only they can be had for \$2,000; terms can be arranged. Box 555, Times. n5

TO LET.—Furnished room, 342 Michigan street. Phone 1894. n5

SHINGLERS WANTED to attend meeting, Sunday, 8 p. m., at Labor Hall, to discuss musicians' dispute. n5

THE "EDWARD" ROOMS for rent by week or day, 1208 Government street. n5

IF YOU ARE LOOKING for an ideal home site, do not delay in making an appointment to see Louisa subdivision, overlooking Gorge, with Saanich car line through property. Seven lots sold yesterday, only 25 left at present prices. Large lots, 150x250, for \$700, on exceptional terms of 1-3 cash and balance in 6, 12, 18, 24, 30 and 36 months. Leeming Brothers, Limited, 324 Fort street. Phone 748 and 573. n5

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Mushrooms, stuffed, per tin 60c
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Van Camp's or Campbell's Soups,
assorted, 2 tins 25c
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Ox Tail, Kidney, Game, Giblet,
Mulligatawny, Green Pea, Ox
Cheek, and other soups, per
tin 35c
Armour's Lunch Tongue, per
tin 90c
Armour's Ox Tongue, \$1.50, \$1.00
or 65c
Davies' Potted Tongue, per
tin 10c
Davies' Devilled Ham, per
tin 15c

Underwood's Devilled Ham, per
tin 20c and 35c
Chicken Tamale, per tin 25c
Veal or Ham Leaf, per tin 15c
French Tripe, per tin 40c
Armour's Tripe, large tin 35c
Libby's Sausage Meat, per tin 35c
Davies' Roast Beef, per tin 35c
and 20c
Chipped Beef, per tin 25c
Jellied Veal, per tin 40c or 25c
Boneless Pig's Feet, per tin 35c
Davies' Corned Beef, per tin 25c
or 20c
Aymer Boned Chicken, tin 50c
Australian Roast Chicken, tin 35c
Australian Roast Turkey, tin 35c
Corned Beef, per tin 40c or 25c

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At 2 o'clock

Seventeen High Class Horses, com-
prising Matched Pairs, Draught Horses
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young sound horses which have been
lately imported and are broken to sad-
dle and harness and from three to six
years old. There will also be other
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We're carrying a stock
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ers this season from which
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selecting just what you
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WOOD AND COAL
"DAISY" HEATERS,
with mica doors, \$20,
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LABOR DISPUTE OVER ROSS BAY SEAWALL

Difference of Terms Between
Contractors and Carpenters
Union—No Settlement
as Yet

A labor dispute between the West-
holme Lumber Company and the Am-
algamated Society of Carpenters as to
terms of work on the Ross Bay seawall
had until yesterday evening failed to
reach an agreement, when the terms in
dispute were referred to at a meeting
of the Carpenters' Union.

The Westholme representatives have
paid a straight rate for carpenters of
\$4.25 a day for an eight-hour day, and
owing to the necessities of the con-
struction of a seawall, with the fluctua-
tions of tide, which last month were
particularly high, the men have had to
work a short period, and then be called
out again in the evening or at night to
put in the balance of their shift. For
this work under special conditions the
carpenters wanted the standard rate of
time and a half for the first four hours,
and double time thereafter, and for
Sunday labor, but this the company
does not agree to accept.

The union men were withdrawn some
time since, and in consequence the con-
tractors have been crippled for labor.
No agreement has yet been reached, al-
though the business agent of the union
has sought the intervention of the
mayor, and through him the city fair
wage officer has communicated with
the company, up to the present without
effect. Feeling that there ought not to
be any difficulty over a city contract,
the men are disappointed at the condi-
tion of affairs, particularly as they
claim that the Pacific Coast Construc-
tion Company, holding a contract of a
similar character at Dallas road, have
made no trouble over the question of
terms.

A further effort to arrive at a set-
tlement will be made to-day.

PASSING SHOW

Empress Theatre.
The Torleys, in their difficult cycling
turn at the Empress theatre this week,
have been winning applause at every
performance. They perform some dif-
ficult and novel feats on the wheel,
both with the bicycle and the unicycle,
with extension frame, and conclude
with a daring turn in which the little
woman who rides a wheel so well is
mounted high in air on her husband's
shoulders while he pedals a single
wheel with high extension frame.

Kenney and Hollis, the college boys,
with their rollicking songs and snappy
conversation, in which the quip follows
quibly hold the audience from the time
they come on the stage. They have a
good topical song in which the names
of some of the local baseball celebrities
are introduced, and the series of na-
tional dances with which Kenney
brings the act to a close are well worth
while.

Miss Grace Armand pleases with her
monologue, "Foolish Lizzy of Vol-
ville," and has two charming songs,
one of which gives her the opportunity
to wear a harem skirt. Lord and
Meek do a novel sketch, and Pearl
Regees and Winnie Bradcomb have a
delightful song and dance specialty, while
the motion pictures bring a good show
to a close.

Majestic Theatre.
"The Swan's Love" (biograph), is a
beautifully pictured forest scene lying
along a rapid river, which makes an
excellent background for this double
planned and unusually exciting. "The
Lighthouse by the Sea" is another big
feature. This story of the sea is power-
ful in its strength and delineation of
character. A storm breaks along the
coast and those who are out in fish-
ermen's boats are in great danger, but
happily rescue is made. In a full reel
naval film an excellent reproduction of
some of the most interesting phases of
a sailor's life is given. Watch the boys
at work and at play and get a line on
the seafarers. Their target practice is
extremely interesting and exciting.
"Kate's Funny Frolic" is a splendid

light comedy of social life which is sure
to please everybody. See it to-day and
Saturday.

PHYSIOLOGICAL DISCOVERY.

Japanese Student Finds "Pace-Maker"
of the Heart.

Professor Arthur Keith, at a recent
demonstration connected with the mu-
seum of the Royal College of Surgeons,
showed by the aid of specimens that
some remarkable advances had lately
been made in our knowledge of the
structure, functions and diseases of the
heart. The most remarkable of these
is a small mass of tissue which has
been named the "pace-maker" of the
heart, because it is apparently within
this small mass of peculiar tissue that
the beat of the heart has its origin.
This structure was first recognized by
Professor Keith and Dr. Martin Flack
but five years ago. Dr. Thomas Lewis,
of University College, using the latest
methods of electric investigation, found
that the site of the new structure was
also the point at which the heart beat
appears. It is the chief centre for the
activity and regulation of the heart.
The observations made by Professor
Keith and Dr. Flack were suggested
by a remarkable discovery made in the
laboratory of Professor Aschoff, of
Freiburg, in 1905. Mr. Tawara, a Ja-
panese pupil of Professor Aschoff, dis-
covered that in the human heart, as in
that of all mammals, there existed a
remarkable system of peculiar muscle
fibres. The system is plainly visible to
the naked eye; its peculiar branches
had been seen by generations of
trained anatomists, yet the discovery
that they formed a tree-like system
with roots in the auricles of the heart
and branches in the ventricles, was re-
served for a young medical visitor from
Japan.

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Naphthol, which is both germicidal and
antiseptic, a combination is formed
which destroys the germs which rob
the hair of its natural nourishment,
and also creates a clean, healthy con-
dition of the scalp, which prevents the
development of new germs.

Pilocarpin, although not a coloring
matter or dye, is a well-known ingre-
dient for restoring the hair to its nat-
ural color, when the loss of hair has
been caused by a disease of the scalp.
These ingredients in proper combi-
nation, with alcohol added as a stimu-
lant and for its well-defined nourish-
ing properties, perfect perhaps, the
most effective remedy that is known
for scalp and hair troubles.

We have a remedy which is chiefly
composed of these ingredients, in com-
bination with other extremely invalu-
able medicinal agents. We guarantee
it to positively cure dandruff and to
grow hair, even though the scalp is
spots is bare of hair. If there is any
scalp left in the roots, it will posi-
tively cure baldness, or we will refund
your money. If the scalp has a glazed,
shiny appearance, it's an indication
that baldness is permanent, but in
other instances we believe baldness is
curable.

We want every one troubled with
scalp disease or loss of hair to try
Rexall "33" Hair Tonic. If it does not
cure dandruff and grow hair to the
satisfaction of the user, we will with-
out question or quibble return every
cent paid us for it. We print this
guarantee on every bottle. It has ef-
fected a positive cure in 95% of cases
where put to a practical test.

Rexall "33" Hair Tonic is entirely
unlike, and we think, in every par-
ticular, better than anything else we
know of for the purpose for which it
is prescribed. We urge you to try this
preparation at our entire risk. Cer-
tainly we know of no better guaran-
tee to give you. Remember, you can
obtain Rexall Remedies in Victoria
only at our store—The Rexall Store,
D. E. Campbell, Druggist, corner Fort
and Douglas Streets.

EUROPEAN CENTENARIANS.

The German Imperial Bureau of
Hygiene has published some interest-
ing statistics relative to centenarians
in Europe. The regions of the Bal-
kans appear to be the most favorable
to longevity. Bulgaria is credited with
3,883 persons over a hundred years

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ing at most reasonable prices rather than
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of Trimmed Hats, \$10 values for \$5.00
Also a selection of \$15 Hats for \$8.50

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Actual values \$5, \$8, \$10.

LOT 4—New Beaver Hats in newest color-
ings. Regular value \$16. Special price
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LOT 5—White Beaver Hats, trimmed.
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whose goods find the widest market for
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ment as the higher priced, they are of a
most superior fabric, being shower-proof-
ed, light in weight, yet warm and perfect
fitting; some with the loose fitting back,
others with semi-fitting back and Raglan
sleeves, the collars are excellently tailored
and strapped satin and the cuffs piped to
match. The fabrics are imitation Harris
and Donegal tweeds in heather colorings,
also some neat chevron effects in greys,
green and browns. Note the lowness of
the special prices, \$17.50 and \$15.00

MAGNIFICENT TWEED COATS at \$22.50,
\$25 and \$27.50, in a wide range of fabrics,
Van Dyke Tweeds, Irish and Scotch
Tweeds, Heavy Diagonals, Homespun and
Blanket Cloths; some with new plaid and
Tartan collars and cuffs in handsome tail-
ored effects, others in the favored rever-
sible Tweeds with the plain collar and
cuffs, while the color combinations are
most effective, \$27.50, \$25 and \$22.50

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KEEN QUOTATIONS

GIRLS' HEAVY NAVY BLUE CHEVIOT
SERGE COATS, nicely trimmed, silk
braid and brass buttons, military style,
lined throughout red flannelette. Sizes
8, 10, 12, 14 years. Regular values \$7 to
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GIRLS' TWEED COATS in greys and
greens, well tailored, military collar of
hunter's green and brass buttons. Regu-
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COATS in new fall colorings, best ma-
terial and finish, velvet collars. Regular
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GIRLS' DRESSES in navy, red and green,
in simple styles, beautifully made. Regu-
lar value \$8.50. Special price \$6.00

GIRLS' SAILOR SUITS in navy blue serge,
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